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GENERAL NEWS.

Gold and Stocks.

New York, March 5.—Silver bars, 127¼ [illegible] 123 gold; silver coin, ½ discount [illegible] opened at 104⅞, rose to 105, and closed at [illegible]; governments dull and steady; stocks [illegible] and steady.

Belligerent Railroads.

Chicago, March 5.—A *Tribune* reporter, who has been investigating the subject, has learned [illegible] Gould, having obtained control of [illegible] Rock Island and Pacific, and Chicago and Northwestern Railroads, seems now [illegible] war with the Chicago, Burlington and Quincy Railroad, which corporation [illegible] obtaining the Nebraska branch of [illegible] and Missouri River Railroad [illegible] with the Union Pacific Railroad [illegible] Omaha. The railroad officials all an[illegible] fight. The Chicago, Burlington and [illegible] say, though they deprecate it, [illegible] excellent condition and ready for [illegible] is said to be intent on carrying out [illegible] of securing a through line [illegible] York on the Atlantic seaboard to [illegible], and this movement is regarded [illegible] well informed persons to foreshadow a furtherance of his plans for the [illegible] company with which he is connected.

Maine Politics.

[illegible] March 5.—M. M. Butler, Republican, [illegible] elected mayor of Portland, Me., to-day by 377 majority, a gain of 56 over last [illegible].

[illegible] Russell, Republican, was elected [illegible] Lewiston, by a majority of 276.

[illegible] Reed, Republican, was elected mayor [illegible] by 411 majority.

[illegible] Republicans selected their mayor at [illegible] by 171 majority.

Burglarious.

[illegible], March 5.—Friend McDermot and [illegible] Berry, alias Sheppard, two noted [illegible] were captured here to-day with the [illegible] complete burglars' tools ever seen in this [illegible].

A Little Solid South.

Galveston, March 5.—The Democrats [illegible] the city ticket, and 11 of the 12 aldermen, [illegible] one colored ward the leading negro [illegible]ly defeated by a white Democrat.

Will not be Prosecuted.

Philadelphia, March 6.—Weldon, who attempted to assassinate Gov. Packard, arrived [illegible]day. It is thought he will not be [illegible] owing to the interposition of [illegible].

Session of Indiana Legislature.

[illegible], March 6.—Gov. Williams to-[illegible] proclamation for an extra session [illegible] General Assembly March 8th.

Going for Scalps.

[illegible], D. T., March 6.—A courier in [illegible] to-day reports that scouts have [illegible] another Indian village containing [illegible] 60 lodges, about 60 miles [illegible]wood. A battalion consisting [illegible] C, B and L and cavalry, aux[illegible], will proceed to attack it.

Sentenced to State's Prison.

[illegible], March 5.—Joe Coburn, the pugilist, [illegible] of shooting with attempt to [illegible]man, has been sentenced to 10 [illegible]'s prison.

Billiard Match.

[illegible], March 6.—In the billiard match [illegible] points, Slossen beat Saxton 138.

Bodies from the Ruins.

[illegible] City, Pa., March 6.—Up to 9 o'clock [illegible] five bodies have been taken [illegible] of the Bateman house. The [illegible] Brown, of Philadelphia, have [illegible]. Charley Bateman, who was [illegible] of his injuries this morning.

Dead.

[illegible] March 6.—Chief Justice Moses, [illegible] Carolina supreme court, died at [illegible]day.

ATLANTIC CABLE.

The Japanese Insurrection.

[illegible], March 6.—The Japanese troops [illegible] four steamers from the insurgents of [illegible] at Kusumatz. The other provinces [illegible].

The Free Press Controversy.

[illegible] March 6.—In the cabinet council to [illegible] the amendment of the press law, [illegible] said he must insist on [illegible] of the clause relative to the defa[illegible] sovereigns.

To be Prosecuted.

Paris, March 6.—The committee of the [illegible] Deputies, on request of the gov[illegible] authority to prosecute Cassagnac, [illegible] the request. They previously [illegible] Cassagnac, who declares he never [illegible] to insult the Chamber.

Bank of England.

London, March 6.—Amount of bullion [illegible] the Bank of England on [illegible] £12,000.

The Inaugural in England.

[illegible] March 6.—President Hayes' inaugural [illegible] published in full and creates a [illegible] impression.

[illegible] says the greater part of it was of [illegible] that might have been well re[illegible] of all parties.

[illegible] says the principles President [illegible] are excellent.

[illegible] says: We do not imagine [illegible] opponents will complain [illegible] and temper of the address, which [illegible] questions of the highest moment [illegible] with the dignity and frankness [illegible] chief magistrate of a great people [illegible] ways to ends which, if they [illegible]plished, will redound to his [illegible] of his country.

CONGRESSIONAL.

Senate.

WASHINGTON, March 6.

[illegible] submitted a resolution that the credentials [illegible] Lamar, Senator elect from Mississippi, [illegible] from the table and he be sworn in. [illegible] the Senate adjourn; rejected; [illegible] 31—many Republicans voting with [illegible] against adjournment. [illegible] Lamar's credentials were entirely [illegible] was just as much entitled to be [illegible] (Maine) or any other Senator sworn [illegible].

[illegible] and Spencer wanted Boutwell's [illegible] of last session on Mississippi af[illegible] the Senate refused.

[illegible] that the report might show that [illegible] which elected Lamar was illegal, [illegible] a matter for subsequent inquiry. It [illegible] thing to stop a Senator from [illegible] who bore the proper credentials. [illegible] receiving Lamar. [illegible] because the Legislature electing [illegible]. He had read as a part of his re[illegible] Boutwell's report.

[illegible] from the committee to notify the President [illegible] the Senate was organized, reported the President would communicate to-morrow regard[illegible] extra session.

A DRUNKARD'S DREAM.—Hyrtl, by far the [illegible] anatomist of the age used to say that [illegible] distinguish in the darkest room, by [illegible] stroke of the scalpel, the brain of the [illegible] from that of the person who had [illegible]. Now and then he would con[illegible] upon the possession of a [illegible] brain, admirably fitted from its [illegible] and more complete preservation for [illegible] of demonstration. When the [illegible] wishes to preserve human brain for [illegible] time he effects his object by keeping that [illegible] in a vessel of alcohol. From a soft, pulpy substance it then becomes comparatively hard. But the inebriate, anticipating the anatomist, begins the indurating process before death—begins it while the brain remains the consecrated temple of the soul, while its delicate and gossamer tissues still throb with the pulses of heaven-born life. Strange infatuation thus to desecrate the godlike! Terrible enchantment that dries up all the fountains of generous feeling, petrifies all the tender humanities and sweet charities of life, leaving only a brain of lead and a heart of stone.—*Medical Journal.*

THE CALM AFTER THE STORM

Leading Southern Democrats Satisfied with the Result

Cabinet Appointments Still in the Future.

Address of Packard's Colored Members.

Senate Democratic Caucus.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—The Democrats of the Senate held a meeting to-day, and elected unanimously Senator Wallace as chairman of the caucus.

Cabinet Meeting.

President Hayes requested the present heads of executive departments to attend a cabinet meeting to-morrow at the usual time.

Davis' Vacancy.

Ben. F. Bristow is almost certain to be appointed to the Supreme Court, to fill the vacancy caused by Davis' resignation.

How it was Received.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—Judge Davis, at the conclusion of the inaugural address, audibly criticised it as an able and excellent state paper. Ben Hill listened to it with intense interest and with evident satisfaction.

Cabinet Guesses.

Gen. Key has agreed to accept if any change be made, the attorney-general nomination, there is a strong reason to anticipate its offer to Gen. Harlan, of Kentucky. The war and navy departments are still undecided. New England will get the navy, probably, but Senator Morrill of Vermont to-night seems more likely to achieve success than Gov. Rice of Massachusetts, who is strongly urged by prominent naval officers. Forbes, of Massachusetts, however, is still on the list as the possible appointee. Indiana, it is still understood, will be represented in the person, either of Reed Thompson, the only Whig Congressman, or Judge Porter.

NASHVILLE, March 6.—The *American*, the leading Democratic organ, says ex-Senator Key, of Tennessee, will probably be appointed Postmaster General. This is a departure from the general custom, and would seem to indicate that Hayes means what he says about unpartisan civil service. Key has never been anything but a Democrat; is a man of ability and thorough honesty. His appointment is a good indication and one which will be likely to make the extremists howl, while every man who seeks the prosperity of our country must rejoice at this indication, so far as it goes.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Of the cabinet no journal has any new developments, except the *World*, which thinks it possible that Key will decline.

Recommending for the Cabinet.

TOPEKA, KANSAS, March 5.—In the assembly the Republicans to-day unanimously passed resolutions expressing the interest of the West in the interior department, and warmly commended to President Hayes for secretary of the Interior, Robert Von Horn, of Missouri.

Would Make a Good Foreign Minister.

CHICAGO, March 5.—Special correspondents all assert that Morton, Chandler, Cameron, Ingersoll, and many other prominent Republicans, are bitterly opposing the appointment of Schurz to a cabinet position, believing he would create all sorts of inharmony. They recognize his great ability and eminent services, but they think he would make a poor cabinet officer though an excellent foreign minister.

Democrats in Mourning.

A number of flags were displayed in Jersey City yesterday in honor of the inauguration. In several notable instances flags were draped in mourning, others bound with crape and hung at half-mast. One man doing business as butcher on Grove street hung out a black flag and two American flags bound with black. A disorderly crowd of several hundred persons collected in front of his place, and talked about the matter, but no other demonstrations were made.

Matthews to Succeed Sherman.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Times'* Cincinnati correspondent thinks Stanley Matthews will likely succeed Sherman in the Senate.

Southern Men Satisfied.

WASHINGTON, March 5.—President Hayes inaugural gives remarkable general satisfaction. The leading Southern men are especially gratified by its conservative tone, and its unmistakable intimation that the carpet baggers can expect little or no favorable consideration from the new administration. They are also greatly pleased with Hayes' declaration that the material development of the South now deserves the considerate care of the national government within the just limits presented by the constitution and wise public economy. This is construed as a prognostication of the executive support for Federal assistance to build the Texas Pacific Railroad, and construct the Mississippi levees. The assured appointment of Key to be Postmaster-General is very highly commended as a wise recognition of the desirability of winning over to the Republican party the large and influential old line Whig element of the South, which coalesced with the Democrats as the only available means of preventing a permanent establishment of negro rule and carpet baggers, and the appointment of a Southern man like Key to the cabinet, together with the conservative utterances of the inaugural will, it is believed, have an immediate and very powerful influence in securing desirable accessions to the Republican party in the South, and greatly hasten the subsidence of the excited state of feeling among the Democrats, throughout the entire country. It is said to-night on good authority, that Booth would be tendered a place in the cabinet if he could be taken from the Senate without being succeeded by a Democrat.

NEW YORK, March 6.—Southerners say the tone of the inaugural has given them great encouragement. Interviews were held with 25 Southern Democrats since its delivery, and they all concur in the opinion that if Hayes adheres to his indicated policy, his administration will meet the approval and support of Southern people.

Ellis, of Louisiana, said to-day that if the President carried out these pledges and did not interfere between the two governments of Louisiana and South Carolina, the Nichols and Hampton governments would prevail.

The *Herald's* Richmond, Va., special says: The inaugural is regarded kindly, promising everything Southerners have a right to expect.

Republican Senators' Caucus.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Republican members of the Senate had a caucus this morning to arrange for the election of standing committees. Morton, Sargent, Morrill, Allison and Dorsey were appointed a committee to revise the lists for Republican membership, and report to a future meeting of the caucus.

Judge Davis' Resignation.

The President has received a letter from Senator Davis, resigning from the Supreme Court. Wm. K. Rodgers, private secretary of President Hayes, took possession of his office.

Address of Colored Members of the Louisiana Legislature.

NEW ORLEANS, March 6.—The colored members of the Republican Legislature, headed by Lieut. Gen. Antoine, have prepared an address to the people of the United States, urging the necessity of the immediate recognition of the State government. They say: "We assume there is no question among Republicans of the United States that President Hayes was rightfully accorded the electoral vote of Louisiana, and argue that Packard's title is removed beyond question, and declare that no equal number of voters in the United States better understood what they were doing than did the seventy odd thousand colored men who voted for Packard." They assert in no boastful spirit that to the colored voters the Republican party is indebted for the election of its candidate for President. In conclusion, they enter a solemn protest against the proposition of certain half hearted Republicans to trade off the State of Louisiana and the interests and rights of the colored people to the Democratic party for any consideration whatever, and indignantly deny that any one has been authorized by any considerable number of the colored people of this State to enter into any such nefarious negotiation. The address is signed by every colored Senator and member of the House.

Evarts and Sherman.

This morning a consultation between the President and a few friends as to the formation of his cabinet had not, up to one o'clock, resulted in a conclusion. Information is that Wm. M. Evarts had been designated for Secretary of State, and Senator Sherman for Secretary of the Treasury. Beyond these nothing was absolutely certain.

About noon the members of the old cabinet appeared. This being the usual day of meeting, a regular session was held. All of the members were present.

Receiving at the Executive Mansion.

President Hayes received a great number of people at the executive mansion to-day, including Wells and Anderson, of the Louisiana returning board, and delegations from the different States. The east room was thronged. The floral eagle presented to President Hayes was placed on a pedestal in the center of the room.

New Military Department.

WASHINGTON, March 6.—The Military Academy and post of West Point has been constituted a separate military department. The commander will report directly to the general-in-chief of the army, who, under the war department, shall have supervision and charge of the academy. He will watch over its administration and discipline and the instruction of the cadets, and will make reports thereof to the Secretary of War, by order of the President. Major General Schofield has been appointed commander of the new military department, and will make his reports direct to the Adjutant General, the same as division commanders. In matters of instruction and financial administration, he will address the Secretary of War through the Adjutant General.

THE PRESS OF THE UNION ON THE INAUGURAL.

New York Times.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Times* says the brief speech which Mr. Hayes made yesterday at the Capitol is likely to meet approval throughout the country. It was dispassionate, though sincere and earnest in tone and without trace of anything like partisanship. Its topics were selected with judgment, and the attention given to them was proportional. With excellent discretion, the statements of the President's views were sincerely candid and well calculated to earn the confidence of his fellow-citizens. There was in the address no attempt at eloquence, nor of that striving after effect which is the bane of most of our public utterances. We are much mistaken if the speech does not strike a great majority of people as a plain, manly statement of the purposes of a modest public officer, who has a deep sense of the greatness of his duties, reasonable confidence in his own capacity to master them, and resolution to face his work with a cool head and stout heart. It is impossible not to admire the spirit of that portion of the address devoted to the Southern question, which is perfectly patriotic, free from narrowness and partisan bias, enlightened and independent. By what precise methods Mr. Hayes will carry his admirable sentiments into effect it is too soon to say; it is certain however that whatever they may be they will be attended with great and complicated difficulties, and that the country will have to judge them with forbearance and wait patiently for their fruits. We accept the President's definition of the scope and purpose of civil service reform with gratification. No one could have stated it with more precision or more force. If he carries out his ideas with fidelity and courage, he will find that the whole country will heartily sustain him. What the people desire above all things is that the business of the government shall be done on business principles and by business methods, and any President who faithfully works to that end will not lack support.

The Herald.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Herald* says of President Hayes' inaugural: President Hayes' formal declaration of intentions is so wise and satisfactory that it is difficult to point to any particular in which it could be improved, either in substance or temper. It may be said that promises are cheap, performances difficult; but however true this may be as a general rule, we can see no good reason for distrusting the President's ability to fulfil the engagements which he has volunteered to make. Indeed he will find it easier to keep his excellent promises than to break them. They reflect the just sentiment and deliberate wishes of the majority of the majority of the American people of both political parties, and the President who proclaims his purpose to do things which the enlightened public opinion of his countrymen most urgently demand can't fail, if his methods should be as skillful as his objects are well chosen. With such charts as President Hayes has marked our for his administration he will sail with the current and not against it. As we cannot yet judge him by his acts, it is fair to judge him by his pledges, and until he does acts by which his pledges are forfeited, common candor requires that we accept his declarations. He has at least made a satisfactory beginning. So far he has evinced wisdom that would not discredit the most illustrious of his predecessors. It is clearly the duty of the country to encourage, support and strengthen him, by such strong testimonies of approbation and indorsement as will enable him to see he has hit the true vein of public sentiment. It will be easy for him to keep his admirable pledges if they are warmly responded to by the applauding voice of the whole people. Even Democrats should give him generous, good words, seeing that he engages to do the very best things which they would have expected of Mr. Tilden. It would puzzle them to tell in what respect Mr. Tilden himself could have prepared a more satisfactory inaugural address. This address is so unassailable in its position, and so conciliatory in its tone that it entitles the new President to candid judgment by his fellow-citizens until he shall do something that contradicts his excellent professions.

NEW YORK, March 6.—The *Herald's* Washington special says: The inaugural message was printed almost as soon as it was spoken, and was read with the greatest interest, but with very diverse feeling by different classes of politicians. The best men of both parties, those who really desire the country to have rest and peace and good government, approved it highly. They said it was a frank, straightforward document, and read like the utterance of a sincere and honest man. What the President said about the Southern question satisfied the best classes of Southern members, and all of both parties who desired a settlement of Southern difficulties. The average Republican politician received the message rather coldly. As to that about civil service reform they smile, and say it is very easy to talk, but the President will see by and by. But even they are not inclined to oppose him in what they think to be his notions on the subject. He will have to ask the advice of Congressmen, they say, in filling vacancies, which are always occurring. The member of Congress, after all, knows more about the people of his district than any one else, and is the best man to make responsible. It would be a good thing, these men say, to break down the Senatorial patronage, which they think has become an abuse; but, after all, they think the President will soon find out what is practicable, and there will be no such great change. Carpet baggers are in a dolorous mood, as are the Cameron men, who threaten vengeance.

The Tribune.

NEW YORK, March 5.—The address with which President Hayes begins his official career as chief executive of the United States will strengthen the favorable impressions made by his selections for the cabinet, and will give fresh impulse to the revival of hope and cheerfulness throughout the country. It contains no startling promises, it unfolds no unexpected policy, but renews with solemn emphasis the pledges made by the Republican candidate before election, and indicates in every line an honest devotion to duty. We believe that no one whose judgment is not warped by interest, or the heat of party passion, can read this speech without recognizing in it the language of sincerity and courage.

The Sun's

Washington special on the inaugural says: The paragraph at that portion of the address devoted to the Southern question is an open bid for the support of the Texas Pacific Railroad and Brazilian steamship subsidy job. The correspondent doubts whether this will take with Southerners.

The *Sun* says a large part of the address was composed of generalities, not glittering, but dull. On the Southern question, Mr. Hayes' observations are dreary and unmeaning platitudes; to civil service reform he renews his pledges. In speaking of the views entertained by the founders of the government in reference to the tenure of office, he asserts they mean that the officer should be secure in his tenure as long as his personal character remained untarnished, and the performance of his duties satisfactory. Such is the avowed policy of Mr. Hayes. If he keeps his word be will, in this respect, follow what he thinks was the doctrine of the founders. In glaring inconsistency with his general doctrine about the tenure of office Mr. Hayes recommends an amendment of the constitution so as to make the President ineligible to a second term.

The *Sun* thinks the radicals have been decidedly snubbed.

The Tribune's

Washington special says the conservatives are pleased, while the radicals of both parties are apprehensive. The idea is shared by correspondents generally.

The World's

Editorial on the inaugural says as regards the South, not one word is said which cannot be twisted one way as well as another.

Chicago Times.

CHICAGO, March 6.—The *Times* has only an editorial note on the subject, in effect that much more has been said in fewer words.

The Inter-Ocean.

CHICAGO, March 6.—The *Inter-Ocean* says the inaugural gives promise of firmness, prudence and broad statesmanship. Its tone toward the South, while indicating a most earnest desire for peaceable reform, declares none the less strongly that political murder must cease and the carnival of crime be ended. But the new administration, do what it will, let it call to its confidential counsels whom it may, let it signify its earnest desire to cultivate kindliness and fellow feeling between the people of all sections, but let it not for an instant forget that the government, great as is, popular as it is, cannot afford to ignore the appeal from the poorest of its citizens, or refuse to stoop from its proud hight to redress the wrongs of the humblest of its subjects. We do not expect defalcation suddenly to cease, nor officeholders to grow into angelic beings before whom detection flies affrighted, but we do hope to see a fair improvement in the service, if merit, real and substantial, becomes the only passport to place. If the plan of Mr. Hayes is adhered to, we shall at least see how many persons are Republicans through principle, and how many for the prospects and allurements of office.

The Tribune.

The *Tribune*, after pointing out the similarity of the letter of acceptance and the inaugural, says the President has shown that his views have strengthened by time and reflection, and the country, which welcomed his advocacy of the Southern policy of peace, order, union and unqualified freedom of all citizens, will rejoice that as President he thus frankly and emphatically declares he will, as executive, do his utmost to promote it. His words concerning the civil service are the solemn declaration of an earnest, honest man, who has given his assurance to the country, after long and thoughtful deliberation; it is a declaration of war against the whole system of machine politics; it is notice to all concerned that the new administration will not bend itself to honor contracts, bargains and sales of offices made by members of Congress to henchmen and parasites. No abler, more dignified or frank and explicit address was ever made by a President on entering that high office. The sincerity and earnestness of the man are disclosed in every sentence. No one can read it and question the firmness with which he will adhere to that purpose. He evidently relies more for approval and support upon the intelligence and justice of the people than upon mere party affiliations and cohesion. He clearly appears to be right and will follow the right to all its logical conclusions, under the circumstances. Neither Ku Klux nor carpet baggers will find much comfort in the new President's language, but the real South will take heart in hearing it, and honest Republicans at the North, alarmed and ashamed at the disgrace which their party has been forced to bear, will hold their heads higher and rejoice in the dawn of a nobler day.

In regard to the civil service reform the *Tribune* remarks that nobody supposes it will be easy, but Mr. Hayes will be sustained in it by a grateful and admiring people, and perhaps in time politicians, who have been accustomed to depend upon federal influence, will take to heart the truth which he tersely expresses, that "he serves his party best who serves the country best."

The Journal.

CHICAGO, March 6.—The *Journal* says of President Hayes' inaugural: The document is entirely statesmanlike in its every feature. It will be seen the new President proposes to carry out the policies of conciliation in accordance with the justice and civil service reform, to which he was pledged at the opening of the campaign. Every good citizen must wish him success in completing the work of reconstruction, and the effective administration of reform.

The Post

Says it is in full accord with his letter of acceptance. It is about what the country expected, an open and honest declaration of a man who unquestionably intends to do his duty, told in a plain, straightforward manner. If he fully appreciates the task before him he can succeed. The *Post* only asks him to be firm in his purpose and he will win a place among the honored names of American history. He is emphatically on trial, and we believe will not be found wanting in the essential qualifications of his position.

SCIENCE AND THE STAGE.—The London correspondent of a Liverpool daily writes: "Parisian theatrical folk, like English clergymen, are inclined to sneer at science. What, they are asking, has science done for the stage? And the answer is nothing worth having. The Parisian people declare that scientists have invented for them only two things—the oxyhydrogen light and 'Pepper's Ghost.' That last, having ceased to bewilder Londoners, is praised as a great achievement, and they proudly tell how Fechter discovered the secret. He saw that things upon the stage were reflected with the ghost, and, challenging Prof. Pepper with his theory, was admitted to the whole secret. The amusing part of all this gossip, however, is that 'Pepper's Ghost' is now never seen on the stage, and the difficulty of realizing a ghost is still one of the unsolved problems which perplex theatrical managers. Nothing could be much worse than the ghosts which we have had in London lately. One atrocious imitation was of glass, and was so poor that the people laughed. Another was a painted cardboard and at last a peculiarly-dressed man came on in the flesh. Here is a chance for 'materializing mediums!' If they can only train their spirits, the ghost of Hamlet's father may actually make each particular hair to stand on end every night."

The good old days are dead and gone; the rich coloring has faded out of the warp and woof of the past, and yet we still rejoice that it is still true that a pretty woman cannot ride by her lover's side through a tunnel without emerging in a hat that looks as if it had been struck by lightning.

CO-OPERATION AND REPRESENTATION.

Hon. John Minto, whose suggestions on any subject are always read with interest, presents through the *Farmer*, some "Thoughts on Co-operation and Representation," which claim particular attention, both on account of the importance of the subject and because of the practical wisdom they contain. He says:

Examination of these two agencies, as now used in the various co-operative industries of Great Britain, show that they go hand in hand. A very cursory examination of the system at its original home in England, "The Rochdale Pioneer Equitable," shows that, whenever, from any cause, the elected managers of the business get off the track which reaches to success, they are voted out, and others put in their places. The English have adopted a different basis of representation from that which generally obtains here. They limit the amount of shares which one person may own, and allow only one vote to each shareholder. This seems to operate in making the shareholder who holds the greatest amount of stock, and who, perhaps, as a rule, are the most discriminating judges of business agents, (and who, it is not unwarrantable to suppose, wield an influence in the choice of agents above what their own vote represents), bend their energies for the best business agents, in order to make the business pay the most profit, and not for the purpose that is often sought and reached in this country of "freezing out the small owners," to begin with. The English system, after many failures, has reached a point where the personal character of the chosen agent in conducting a co-operative business does not wield such an influence for or against success as it does with us. This desirable result has seemingly been attained, not by the choice of better material for their agents so much as their admirable system of checks and settlements. The latter, in particular, are so plain and so frequent that the members can exercise this never ceasing vigilance which changes the bearing point of the responsibility for success from the chosen agent to the stockholders. The agents cannot go far wrong when a chosen committee of management, in addition to the checks generally embodied in the plan of business, have always access to the books and submit a plainly arranged balance sheet every three months, together with their reports of what part of the machinery is working satisfactorily, and suggestions where and in what way amendments can be made. These short settlements and oft-repeated "statements" have the effect of bringing the argus-eyed body of shareholders into such an intimate acquaintance with their business, that the measure of success is the result of their own intelligence in adapting the means to the end in view. It is with them not so much a question of confidence in individual agents or officers, as whether the object is within the reach of their combined capital and intelligence. The British societies of this kind are not, in the average of their membership, to be compared to the same number of American farmers, who may seek to adopt a co-operative plan of business, in point of general intelligence, but the former, living as they do in dense communities, are nearer to their work, so to speak. It costs them little or no loss of working time to get together and talk over their business. And it is not the least beneficial phase of co-operation with them, that it furnishes them with an inducement to get knowledge of how best to save and invest the money which they would otherwise spend time in injudicious or useless sinking in the beer-pot. The chief obstacle the American farmers have to the same measure of success is the distance they live from each other, and the cost to them of getting together often for consultation. This their skill of adaptation to unavoidable circumstances will combine to enable them to overcome, but all parties interested in the beginning of co-operative enterprises should take it into the account. That obstacle surmounted, the English system of checks and reports and balance sheets should answer the same purpose here.

THE TERRITORIES.

L. E. Lowell, the Tacoma small pox patient, is reported recovering.

Walla Walla county, W. T., is out of debt and its script is at par.

A little son of S. M. Wait, of Dayton, W. T., was drowned a few days ago, by falling into the mill race.

The eldest daughter of Rev. Dr. Chamberlain, of Walla Walla, has had a severe attack of diphtheria, but is recovering.

The Walla Walla *Watchman* of last Friday says: Thursday, about noon, and just as we were preparing to close our columns, ready for press, a fire broke out in the city brewery, and when the firemen arrived on the spot huge columns of lurid and treacherous flames burst through the rear of the building where the malt kiln is located. It was an astounding rescue. Fifteen minutes after the boys let loose the fire gave up the ghost, and the main building was saved. Had a moment been wasted, a costly and extensive structure would have been destroyed. Mr. [illegible] was not at home when the fire broke out, but feels grateful to those who came to help and to save. The fire was purely accidental.

From the Walla Walla *Statesman*: "About 12 o'clock on the night of the 1st inst. (Thursday) the alarm of fire was given by the sentinel at the garrison, the troops responding in an unusually quick time. It was found that a large hay stack, containing about 150 tons of hay, was on fire. The blaze was very soon subdued, and a continuous supply of water kept on the stack to keep it down, notwithstanding which it continued to gain headway towards the interior of the stack—dry hay, when once on fire, being most difficult to quench. A request was finally made to Mayor McAuliff for a fire engine from town, which was promptly responded to by the mayor in person, in charge of one of the handsome engines of the city, and in quick time a strong and heavy stream was brought to bear on the smouldering ruins of timothy, which, together with a heavy shower, soon brought King Fire to time. The boys at the garrison had a night of it, as few of them got to bed before 4 o'clock, to get up again soon after 6 A. M. for reveille.

OREGON.

The Good Templars of Pendleton gave an entertainment last Thursday evening, which netted $60 and a splendid time.

The *East Oregonian* presents a good showing of improvements that have been made at Pendleton recently. We are glad to see the newspaper of the place enjoying the same prosperity.

The wire rope of the Salem ferry boat gave way Monday under the pressure of an unusually strong current, and the boat started down the river. Fortunately there were no teams on board when the rope parted. The ferryman succeeded in effecting a landing at the Farmers' Warehouse a few rods below.

Mr. J. C. Franklin has taken to the office of the *East Oregonian* two samples of "as good butter as ever lubricated the palate of an epicure, one lot of which was made a year ago and the other last week. The difference in the two lots was so light that it was almost impossible to tell which from tother." But ter a year old and still fresh and sweet is something for our dairy people to think about.

The *Mercury* of March 5th says: We learn that a little son of Mr. Manley Moore, living about six miles south of this city, met with a very severe if not fatal accident on Saturday evening last. The boy was carrying a common butcher knife in his hand fell upon it, the point of the knife striking in one eye, and ranging upward entered, it is supposed, the skull bone. It required considerable force to remove the knife, and it is feared that the wound will prove fatal, although the little sufferer was alive when our informant left there Sunday morning.

PACIFIC COAST NEWS.

CALIFORNIA.

San Francisco Stock Market.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Ophir 25, Mexican 17½, Savage 8, Con Va 45½, G & C 12¾, B & B 33, California 48¼, Chollar 65½, H & N 5½, Point 9½, Jacket 13, Imperial 2, Alpha 19½, Belcher 7¾, Confidence 7¾, Nevada 6½, Utah 17½, Bullion 13½, Seg Belcher 60, Overman 85½, Justice [illegible], Succor 05c, Union 9, Lady Bryan 20c, Julia 5½, Caledonia 8½, Knickerbocker 25c, Baltimore 1, S Hill 5, N Y 65c, P Sheridan 9, Alta 1½, Woodville 60c, Mint 25c, Dayton 75c, Kossuth 45c, Lady Washington 2½, Andes 1, Leviathan 50c, N Con Va 75c, Prospect 45c, Trojan 1 20, Seytona 1 40.

EVENING BOARD—R & E 5c, Eu Con 16½, Jackson 3½, Alps 35, Belmont 1½, Patch 2, Leopard 4 85, Bell 28, Gila 70c, Hussey 30c, Thomas 20c, Manhattan 7½, G Prize 4 45, Modoc 2 80, N Coso 5, G Chariot 3 80, Leeds 3½, Harrisburg 65c, Exchequer 6½, Mexican 17½, Justice 13, California 48½, Julia 5½, Utah 17½, B & B 32½, S Nevada 4½, S Hill 5½, Ophir 24¾, Bullion 18, Imperial 2 05, Point 9, Alpha 19½, Con Va 40½.

The Fraudulent Vote of San Francisco.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—The chairman of the finance committee of the board of supervisors to-day made a report to the board of the investigation by the committee into alleged frauds at the recent general election in this city. The inquiry involved a thorough canvass of all those votes cast on certificates of registration, numbering 17,370. The result summarized is as follows: Not entitled to vote on account of non-residence, under age, etc 2,722; names of which there are no affidavits for certificates, 20; double voters 75; persons voting on cancelled names, 379; names on poll lists not appearing on ward register, 359; total 3,605. The report claims the above proportion would hold good had inquiry been carried into the remainder of the city vote, and argues there must have been a total fraudulent vote of 8,105; enough had they been mostly from either one of the political parties to have carried the electoral vote of the State. The report fails to indicate the probable political complexion of the fraudulent votes, except by vague implication. It exonerates the county clerk and assessor from any connivance in the frauds, but finds the business of registration was conducted in a loose manner, and recommends a number of reforms in the registration law, and holding that the present law, instead of a check, is an absolute assistance to fraud. The report is signed by a majority of the committee.

The Quarantined Steamer.

The board of health this afternoon passed an order permitting the China and Japan steamer *Gaelic*, lately arrived with smallpox on board and since lying in quarantine, to go up to the dock and discharge cargo, on condition the company must furnish a ship to which the Chinese passengers should be removed for further quarantine. This occasioned some comment among representatives of the press and others present, it being known that another case of smallpox had occurred since the steamer was quarantined, and that among the crew whom it was proposed to take to the dock in the steamer to work the cargo. It was finally decided that while the ship was at the dock the crew should be kept by themselves in repairing the rigging, etc., while a gang from port should discharge cargo.

Death in the Lamp.

Last night Patrick Morrissey, a painter living at 461 Minna street, got up and attempted to light a coal oil lamp. While in the act, it exploded, setting his night dress on fire. He was severely burned about the head and chest, and to-day died in the ambulance while being conveyed to the county hospital.

The Russian Admiral's Reception.

VALLEJO, March 5.—The reception being given at Farragut hall this afternoon, by Admiral Possiet and his officers, of the Russian fleet, is a very distinguished affair. The hall is gayly and elaborately decorated with flags of almost all nations, interspersed with evergreens. A large collection of flowering plants and shrubs, brought from San Francisco, adds a very pretty and agreeable feature to the general attraction. The present reception is given in acknowledgment of the courtesy which the fleet has received at the hands of the army and navy on this coast and the people generally, and in recognition of the traditional friendship between the two nations. The navy yard tug *Monterey*, with a large number of distinguished guests from San Francisco, arrived at noon.

Rejoicing.

SAN JOSE, March 5.—The Republicans are celebrating the inauguration of Hayes to-night. Salutes are being fired by the scouts and veterans, and bombs and fire crackers at private residences.

Forgery.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—It now appears that in the case of Blacklock, the absconding President of the Gulf of California Oyster Canning Co., the forgeries referred to were perpetrated by James Kellogg, book-keeper for Caroland, Curry & Cook, and a respected resident, some fifty years of age, who has for the last 25 years filled positions of trust in this city in banking and other houses. He was arrested this morning. He states he was induced by Blacklock to commit the forgeries by the representations of Blacklock that he would return the checks directly, only wishing to make a show of them. When, however, he obtained possession of them he used them to purchase certain stocks on which he realized previous to absconding. Events render it probable that the oyster canning company is rather a mythical institution, Blacklock being evidently head and front of the whole concern, though a number of prominent citizens held some stock in it.

Capt. Lees has discovered that another forged check for $10,000 was drawn by Kellogg, bookkeeper for Caralin, Carry & Co., on that firm which was discounted by the Pacific Bank at the instance of Blacklock. Kellogg says there was still another check deficient, but says he does not know who discounted it.

The Republicans are now firing a salute of one hundred guns in honor of the inauguration of Hayes. There was no other demonstration.

Attempted Assassination.

SAN JOSE, March 6.—A cold blooded attempt to murder a woman was made in Santa Clara, Monday evening. In the afternoon Mrs. Dr. Brellaska, a lady defendant in a suit for practicing medicine without a license, but which to day was decided in her favor, the law being declared unconstitutional, was called to the door by a woman closely veiled, who stated her services were required at W. Patterson's house. In the evening, at 8 o'clock, Mrs. Brellaska started out, and when opposite W. W. Squire's house a man sprang from behind a tree and dealt a heavy blow on her head with a rock or sand bag, felling her to the ground. She was struck and kicked several times while lying prostrate until her cries brought assistance. The injuries are serious and perhaps fatal. She was unconscious most of to-day. The assassin is unknown.

Discharged from his Liabilities.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—In September, 1869, Irwin Davis, a noted stock broker and speculator, failed for between $500,000 and $600,000. Claims aggregating nearly that amount were filed against him, about $200,000 of which Davis acknowledged. For several years past his creditors, particularly Col. Jas. G. Fair, have opposed this application for discharge from bankruptcy, and a bitter contest has been going on. The opposition, however, has been set aside and the petitioner to-day was finally discharged by Judge Hoffman.

Smallpox.

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—The health officer states that the small pox, which last week showed signs of abating, is again on the increase, and bids fair to foot up thirty-five or forty cases for the present week. Great trouble is experienced from the fact that under existing regulations the health officer has not arbitrary power to remove patients to the pest house, and when cases break out in densely crowded neighborhoods and in narrow courts and alleys, where most of these occur, quarantine is practically impossible, and the whole neighborhood exposed to the contagion. The disease is now running mostly among the lower orders, Irish, Spanish and Italian population, who evince great neglect, if not opposition, in the matter of vaccination and take few precautions. Less trouble than formerly is experienced in the Chinese quarters, as most of those who were not protected have already gone through the disease, and there is little material for it to feed on.

[Line down east of Salt Lake.]

ARIZONA.

Rich Strike.

PRESCOTT, March 6.—The Peck Mining Co. yesterday struck a large body of almost pure horn silver, assaying from $12,000 to $15,000 per ton. Considerable excitement prevails.

An Indian Scare.

SAN DIEGO, March 6.—The *Union* has advices from Maricopa Wells, Arizona, that the people at that station fear an attack from the Pima Indians, who are exasperated over the rumor that two Indians, lately arrested, have been hung by a mob in Phoenix. Gen. Kautz has ordered a detachment of cavalry from McDowell to Maricopa.

NEVADA.

Attempted to Escape.

VIRGINIA, March 6.—The murderer, Harrington, attempted to break jail, attacking the jailer with a revolver obtained from some outside confederate. In the ensuing struggle Harrington received two wounds, neither very serious. He was overpowered and locked up again.

UTAH.

Celebrating by the Saints.

SALT LAKE, March 5.—The Republicans here fired 139 guns to-day in honor of the inauguration of Hayes.

SWAMP LAND DECISION.

DEP'T INTERIOR, GENERAL LAND OFFICE,
WASHINGTON, Feb. 3, 1877.

Register and Receiver, Linkville, Oregon—GENTLEMEN: This office is in receipt of certain affidavits filed on behalf of the State of Oregon in support of an application for a hearing to determine the bona fides of the claimants in the following pre-emption entries, to wit:

Simpson Wilson—Cash entry No. 56, made August 23, 1875, for N. W. ¼ of section 5, township 41 S., range 14 E., based on D. S. 36, filed September 1, 1871, alleging settlement April 30, 1870.

Newton S. Goodlow—Cash entry No. 54, made August 2, 1875, of N. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼, section 7, 41 S., 14 E., and N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼ and N. ½ of N. [illegible], sec. 12, 41 S., 13 E., based on D. S. 33, July 26 and 28, 1873.

Silas W. Kilgore—Cash entry No. 40, made May 21, 1875, for S. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼, sec. [illegible] and N. ½ of N. E. ¼ and S. E. ¼ of N. E. ¼, sec. 7, township 41 S., range 14 E.

A patent was issued for the land last mentioned on August 15, 1876, under former rulings of this office, and consequently this land must be considered *res judicata*.

The allegations of bad faith are also too indefinite to base an official investigation upon.

The State of Oregon selected all of section 6, N. ½, S. W. ¼, and N. W. ¼ of S. E. ¼ section 7, 41 S., 14 E., as swamp and overflowed land, on February 23, 1876, under the act of March 12, 1860. There appears to have been [illegible] regular selection which has [illegible] made of this land by the State. It [illegible] of Goodlow as to the N. W. ¼ of N. W. ¼ of section 7, and it will be seen that selection was made a long time after the cash entries were made. Affidavits allege that the W. ½ of N. W. ¼, section 5, being part of the land entered by Wilson, is swampy and was never cultivated by him before making his entry. There is no allegation Wilson did not cultivate the balance of the land, or that he did not settle thereon in good faith.

Affidavits allege that [illegible] of the land entered by Goodlow is swampy, except the N. E. ¼ of N. W. ¼, section 12; but, as in the case of Wilson, there is no allegation that his settlement was not made in perfect good faith, or that he did not fully comply with the law prior to entry.

The act of March 12, 1860, did not create a grant *in presenti*. It was simply a grant conditional upon the performance of certain specific requirements by the State, and even then did not give the State the right to swamp or overflowed lands which the government had disposed of prior to the issuance of patent to the State.

A qualified pre-emptor had a perfect right to settle on any of this character of land and to acquire title thereto in the same manner as if his settlement had been made on other public lands; provided he settled before the lands was patented to the State, and provided also that he acted in good faith.

In his decision of Oct. 12, 1876, the honorable Secretary says: "In a pre-emption claim the element of good faith is essential to its validity. Good faith is presumed in all cases where it is not questioned or shown to be wanting, or the absence of it is apparent."

Following this sound reasoning, the case of the pre-emption claimants is obviously a strong one, for these reasons: First, That at the time of entry the State had made no regular claim to land at all, and her right under the swamp grant had not attached. Second, Not only is the presumption of good faith in favor of the settlers, but their [illegible] a full compliance with the law [illegible] not [illegible] by a scintilla of proof to the contrary. Third, The State selection conflicts only with 80 acres of the land entered by Goodlow, and no right attached until a long time after he made his entry. Fourth, The State not being a party in interest at the time of entry was not entitled to notice thereof.

I do not think it was the intention of the Hon. Secretary to put settlers to the trouble and expense of a contest upon a simple allegation that the land claimed was swampy at the date of settlement; because that allegation could be admitted and not affect their rights, as they had as good a right to settle on swampy lands as any other, so long as they in good faith complied with the law.

The application for a hearing is refused, but the entries of Wilson and Goodlow will remain suspended for a reasonable length of time to allow the State an opportunity for filing affidavits impeaching their good faith.

Notify the parties in interest of this decision and allow sixty days for appeal.

Very respectfully,
J. A. WILLIAMSON, Com'er.

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The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 7, 1877.

A LONG DISCUSSION OF A SHORT SUBJECT.

The *Statesman* is resolved that the test of fellowship in the Republican party shall be the same that it was declared to be in 1873, namely, approval of all Senator "Mitchell's" acts and support of his pretensions for the future. The *Statesman* puts the proposition in unmistakeable language, saying that a short time since the OREGONIAN "made the startling announcement that it would be a Republican paper, and within a few days, turned around and slapped our Senator on the back."

Now, we have no quarrel with those who think Senator "Mitchell" is the Republican party, and, therefore, that Republicanism is but another name for fealty to him. It is not for us to "judge another man's servant," and we would not, if we had the right, forbid those who "live, move and have their being" in the patronage he has at his disposal, from worshipping him according to the dictates of their own consciences. But if we choose not to worship him at all, or even to declare that he is not a proper object of either adoration or admiration, we insist upon the right to do so, and that, too, without peril of excommunication. We make these remarks on the general subject of the right of every member of a party to support or refuse to support the pretensions of any individual, not because we care for being "read out of the party," but simply because there may be persons tender-footed enough to be "bull-dozed" by that sort of nonsense. For ourselves, the anathema-maranatha of politicians, one or many, is a thing of too little consequence to deserve a moment's attention.

But to come down to specifications when and how have we done this wrong against the Senator, of which complaint is made? We have said his championship of the Central and Union Pacific railway companies in their resistance to the measures in Congress to compel them to pay the debts they owe the government, was wrong. Will the *Statesman* say it was right? We have said that his attorneyship for Mr. Ben. Holladay, in pressing on Congress the payment of his bogus claims against the government for $800,000, was a wrong against the people, who have his money to pay. Will the *Statesman* say it was not? We have said that his championship of the Southern war claim of John Milton Best, for $25,000, which the Senator resurrected after it had been denounced by the Attorney General as a fraud, and vetoed by the President as wholly unlawful, was wrong, and that it was also inconsistent with the loud and long talks of the Senator against these Southern claims, during the campaign last fall. Will the *Statesman* attempt a vindication of his conduct in this matter?

These are all public acts of the Senator, and do not relate to his private life. Are not the public acts of public servants legitimate subjects of discussion? Some years ago when we criticised the personal character of this Senator, we were plied by the same people who now make complaint, with adjuration against discussing the personal character of public men. Foolish as is the notion that the private character of a man who stands as the representative of a community is not legitimate matter for that community to investigate, it may find acceptance among shallow minds; but the claim now for the first time put forward, that the official conduct of public officers must never be criticised, is too absurd to find lodgment in any brain but an idiot's. If that is the Republicanism of the *Statesman*, it is welcome to it. It is not the Republicanism of the Republican party, we opine. At all events, it is not our kind, and would not be if all the party organs and all the party conventions joined to declare it was the sentiment of the party. We should much prefer the good will of any public man and his friends to their ill-will; but if we must buy it by a "thick and thin" support of all he may do, whether it can be defended on principle or not, then we say the price is too high and we decline to pay it. Supposing it to be not only the right, but the duty, of a public jurnal to keep its readers informed as to the doings of public servants, we shall continue to do so; and if, in doing so, we shall find it necessary to slap their "backs," for malversation, we shall not hesitate to perform the unpleasant duty all the same, whether such officer and his set like it or not.

Mr. R. C. Geer, of Marion county, in the *Farmer*, of March 2d, says he has vines of the Isabella grape which are 23 years old, which have been allowed to twine themselves over apple, plum, pear, cherry and willow trees, no care whatever being taken of the vines. They bear large crops, and the grapes keep well, lasting all winter if properly gathered and stored. He says the Northern Muscadine does well with him, but the Isabella is "hardy as an oak," and he adds that every farmer and householder can have good grapes from October to March, by cultivating the Isabella vines.

The people of Olympia turned out *en masse* Monday night to celebrate the election and inauguration of Hayes and Wheeler. Bonfires of mammoth proportions blazed in the streets, houses and public buildings were brilliantly illuminated, a band of music paraded the the streets and joyful huzzas rent the air. At 9 o'clock they gathered at Columbia Hall, where preparations for a grand ball had been made. Citizens were jubliant, elated and much rejoiced that the questions involved in the late contest have been so satisfactorily settled.

We hoped to be able to inform readers of the OREGONIAN this morning as to who are to be the members of President Hayes' cabinet. But the names have not yet transpired. It seems pretty certain that the Department of State will be offered to Wm. M. Evarts and the Treasury Department to Senator Sherman, but beyond that there is nothing but conjecture.

We have a letter from Camp Polk, Grant county, which says there has been but 2½ inches of snow this winter. The winter has been warm and pleasant, and all kinds of stock are doing finely.

Major Towler paid off the troops at Fort Walla Walla last week.

LETTER FROM HON. R. B. COCHRAN.

LANE COUNTY, March 4, 1877.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

Permit me to say through the DAILY OREGONIAN that my attention has been called to an article in your paper of yesterday, (the 3d) in regard to difference of opinion between yourself and Mr. Steel as to the propriety of celebrating what you call the election of Mr. Hayes; and it appears from the article that Mr. Steel deems it inadvisable to make any demonstrations of rejoicing, and you take the opposite view. It may be out of place in me to say anything on this subject, but it is something that we are all interested in, though not exactly alike, and we feel very different in regard to this matter. You gave your feelings in that article; now I propose to give you some of mine, and when you get them, you get the feelings of nine-tenths of the Democracy of this country. They prefer this settlement rather than war. We know we have been swindled out of our candidate. We know that Mr. Tilden was elected by twelve electoral votes, and we believe that Mr. Hayes got but 167 lawful votes, while Mr Tilden got 196 lawful votes, if they had been lawfully counted. Then, sir, how do you think we will feel to have gunpowder burned under our noses? I would feel just as well to hear the tolling of the bells of a beloved city, announcing its destruction by fire, as this and it seems to me that any well-informed gentleman would think just as much of his neighbor that would insult him at the funeral of one of his family, as to give such an insult as the one proposed by celebrating the Hayes success (for I cannot call it an election), for it was not an election. And I was not prepared to believe that an individual in Oregon could be found that would rejoice over stolen honors, or stolen property of any kind. I believe Mr. Hayes should now take the office and do the best he can for the American people. It would be a sad calamity if he should have been so sensitive that he would have refused to take the Presidency after he was counted in (not elected), and Mr. Tilden counted out, as elected. But I can't help but believe that an apology is due from Mr. Hayes to the American people for the manner in which he obtained this high position (not elected), and I think he will have the good sense to make that apology in his inaugural address to-morrow.

R. B. COCHRAN.

A CORRECTION CORRECTED.

DAYTON, March 5.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

I notice in Saturday's OREGONIAN a letter from "Amity" with regard to the recent disturbance in the Baptist church, which is calculated to mislead your readers and in one particular is untrue. The facts are these: The day before the disturbance I visited stores, dwelling houses, blacksmith shops and the saloon and invited the people to church. The next night the saloon keeper came intoxicated, and swore and talked and behaved so indecently that some young people laughed at him.

Now, as sensible men, to whom should we lay the guilt, the *cause* or *effect*? If he was not guilty, how is it that his two lawyers and a long array of witnesses did not convince the jury of his innocence? Your correspondent says that I testified that I did not know the saloon keeper was in the church at the time of the disturbance; this is untrue, I testified that I saw him there. Individually I am very sorry that there should have been any necessity to appeal to the law, but if people will disturb religious meetings *they* must abide the consequences.

THOS. S. SAILS, M. E. Church.

NEWSPAPER WORK.—A contributor to one of our best periodicals has written as follows of the burdens of journalists, and it is all true: "It is one of the hardships of our profession that its working wheels—brain and heart—are not allowed to lag for sickness, or to stop for calamity or sorrow. The judge may adjourn court, the school and work shop may close shutters, the mourner may veil his features and turn friend and stranger from the door; but the journalist must forget before to-morrow the sorrows of to-day, must write gaily and freshly, as a newsmonger, on the trifles of the hour, whatever burden has been laid upon that same hour by Providence, or on his brains as a man. It sometimes tries and racks, as the world that reads what is thus written would never dream of. The public look upon an editor's labors as the Indian did upon the man that was cutting hay; he finally gave it as his opinion that it was 'easy to see the white man mow.'"

The experiment of boring an Artesian well is being tried near Walla Walla, with good prospects of success. So says the Walla Walla *Statesman*.

BORN:

In this city, Feb. 28, to the wife of Chas. Rivers—a daughter.

MARRIED:

In Klikitat, W. T., March 4, by Rev. J. C. Rickman, Eugene McLin and Miss Ida A. McLain.

In Weston, Feb. 18, John P. Kaius and Mrs. Mary Webb.

DIED:

In this city, March 5, Henry M. Ralston, aged 43 years.

Funeral at 2 o'clock this afternoon, from his late residence, southeast corner of Twelfth and Madison streets. Friends of the family invited to attend.

In the Waldo Hills, Marion county, Feb. 28, Alvin M., infant son of Thomas and Rosa Riches.

Near Salem, Willie Perkins, aged 7 years.

In Heppner, Feb. 28, James A. Vinson aged 19.

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4[illegible] Acres

In Washington county; 120 acres of Beaver dam land, with no timber or brush on it; about 40 acres of heavy timber, balance open hazel brush land. There is a good Barn and Log house on the place; also a fine young orchard and 16 acres of Timothy meadow. The land is nearly all under fence, and it can easily be made one of the finest farms in Oregon. Price $5,250.

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On the Columbia bottom, 20 miles north of Portland, 2½ miles from landing place of daily steamers on the Columbia river. Lake river, a navigable stream, crosses the place. It is one of the best dairy farms in the country. Two hundred and sixty acres of this tract is good pasture and meadow land, and will be sold separately or with part or all of the balance, which is timber.

Price for the meadow and pasture, $15 per acre; for the timber, $7 00 per acre. Price for the whole track, $6,600. Terms—Two-thirds cash, balance on time. Good buildings on the place.

March 7, 1877. mh7d1m

U. S. MARSHAL'S NOTICE.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT by virtue of an execution and order of sale, issued out of the office of the Clerk of the Circuit Court of the United States for the District of Oregon, to me directed and delivered, commanding me to sell the following described mortgaged property, situated in Yamhill county, State of Oregon, to wit: Beginning at a point north eighty three degrees, east seven chains and thirty links, distant from a point thirteen chains and eighty links, south of the northeast corner of the southeast quarter of section thirty-four, in township four south, range four west of the Willamette meridian; running thence south eighty-three degrees west, one hundred and three chains and fifty links, thence south eighteen degrees and thirty minutes east twenty-nine chains and twenty links, thence east twenty three chains and thirty links, thence south twenty-five degrees, east forty chains, thence south seventy-two degrees, east twelve chains and fifty links, thence north seventy-three degrees, east seventy-one chains, thence north twenty-three degrees and thirty minutes, west sixty four chains and ninety links to the place of beginning, containing 610 94-100 acres.

Also the following described premises, to wit: Lots three, four, five and six, and the northwest quarter of the southwest quarter and the southwest quarter of the northwest quarter of section three and lot number one of section four, all in township five south, range four west of the Willamette meridian, containing 154 34-100 acres.

Also the following described premises to wit: The fractional south half of the northeast quarter, the fractional south half of the northwest quarter, the fractional north half of the southeast quarter, and the fractional southwest quarter, all of section thirty four, and the fractional northwest quarter of the southwest quarter of section thirty-five, and the fractional southeast quarter of the northeast quarter of section thirty-three, and the fractional northeast quarter of the southeast quarter of section thirty-three, all in township four south, range four west of the Willamette meridian, containing 150 53-100 acres.

Also the following described premises, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of that certain donation land claim known and designated on the maps and plats of the United States government surveys as the donation land claim of Richard Booth and his wife Margaret, and running thence west twenty four chains and eighty links to the west boundary line of said Booth's claim, and the boundary line between said Booth's claim and the claim of C. B. Hawley, thence south on said line two chains, thence west to the center of the Yamhill river, thence down the center of said river to a point where the east boundary line of said Booth's claim crosses said river, thence south on said east boundary line to the place of beginning, containing 42 50-100 acres.

Also the following described premises, to wit: Beginning at the southeast corner of that certain land claim situate in township five south, range four west of the Willamette meridian, known and designated in the government surveys as claim numbered seventy-two, and running thence north twenty-three degrees and thirty minutes west, nineteen chains and fifty links, thence south seventy-five degrees and thirty minutes east eleven chains and forty links, thence south four degrees and thirty minutes west, twenty-nine chains, thence north eighty-five degrees and thirty minutes west, twenty-seven chains and sixty links, thence south four degrees and thirty minutes west five chains, thence west seventy-nine chains and eight links, thence north twelve chains, thence east twenty-seven chains and fifty links, thence south seventy degrees and thirty minutes east twelve chains, thence north seventy-three degrees east, seventy-one chains to the place of beginning, containing 153 acres.

Also the following described premises, to-wit: Beginning at a point north fourteen degrees, east forty-five chains from the southeast corner of that certain land claim situate in township five south, range four west of the Willamette meridian, and known and designated upon the maps and plats of the government surveys as the land claim of Charles M. Johnson, and running thence north fourteen degrees east thirty-five chains and thirteen links, thence north four degrees west, thirteen chains and fifty four links, thence west fifty-one chains and twenty links, thence south nine degrees west, seventeen chains and seventy links, thence south fifty-six degrees and thirty minutes east, fifty-five chains and fifty-one links to the place of beginning, containing 173 40-100 acres.

From the order of sale and execution there is exempted by the decree of said United State Circuit Court for the District of Oregon, a certain piece of land containing one hundred and fourteen acres, sold and conveyed by Jane Armstrong to Joseph Watt on and by deed dated the 27th day of March, A. D. 1876, and more fully described therein, or as much thereof as may be sufficient to raise the amount due to the plaintiffs from the defendant Jane Armstrong, and interest thereon, and for special attorney's fees, and for costs and disbursements herein and the expenses of sale, in accordance with a judgment and decree entered on the 10th day of April, A. D. 1876, in said court, in favor of the Oregon and Washington Trust Investment Company, limited, and against Jane Armstrong, in a cause wherein the Oregon and Washington Trust Investment Company, limited, were plaintiffs, and Jane Armstrong et al were defendants.

I will, on the 12th of April, A. D. 1877, at the hour of one o'clock P. M. of said day, in front of the Court House door in the town of Lafayette, county of Yamhill, District of Oregon, proceed to sell the said described property, in obedience to the command of said execution and order of sale.

ABNER W. WATERS,
mar7d1tw4t U. S. Marshal for Oregon.

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SIDNEY DELL
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T. A. M'BRIDE,
ATTORNEY AT LAW.
Office in Monnastes' Brick, First street, Portland.
n17d3m

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Attorneys at Law,
Rooms Nos. 7 and 8 in Odd Fellow's Building, corner First and Ash Streets, Portland.

B. WHITTEN,
ATTORNEY AT LAW,
Office—Opposite Court House,
Court Street, Dalles City, Oregon.
d19d1m

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J. C. AINSWORTH, President.
March 1, 1877. m1d1m

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Eastern and Shoalwater Bay Oysters,

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THE TAX ROLL OF EAST PORTLAND SCHOOL District No. 21 will be placed in the hands of the Sheriff for collection on the 19th day of March, 1877. All delinquents will take due notice.

CLAUDE THAYER, School Clerk.
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NOTICE.

Land Department, Oregon Central Railroad Company.

PORTLAND, February 13, 1877.

A FINAL DECISION HAVING BEEN RENdered by the Hon. Secretary of the Interior in the matter of the conflict between the Oregon Central Railroad Co. and the Northern Pacific Railroad Co., involving title to certain Lands in Townships one, two, three, four and five North of Ranges one, two, three, four, five and six west in favor of the Oregon Central Railroad Co.; parties having settled upon or improved any of these lands are hereby notified to appear within sixty days from the date of this notice at the Land Office of the said O. C. R. R. Co. at this city, to prove settlement or improvement. At the expiration of the said sixty days the lands will be opened to purchase to the first applicant.

Persons not being able to come to Portland may make the required proof of settlement or improvement by affidavit before Col. T. R. CORNELIUS, at Cornelius, Washington county, who will forward the same to the undersigned.

P. SCHULZE,
fe26d61w2m Land Agent, O. C. R. R. Co.

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WE HEREWITH GIVE NOTICE THAT WE shall again, at this establishment, be able to furnish you with Matzos for the coming Passover. All orders left with the Oregon Bakery or Isaac Levy will be promptly attended to.

LIEBE & HOELBING.
ISAAC LEVY, Superintendent. fe1d1m

PONY.

STRAYED OR STOLEN, ON THURSDAY, March 1st, an iron-gray Pony, mare, 3 years old, white star on forehead. Any one returning the same to the undersigned at his residence on Seventh street, between Hall and College, will be rewarded for his trouble.

mh5d3t T. P. MAXWELL.

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WANTED IMMEDIATELY.

A FIRST-CLASS SALESMAN IN A DRY AND Fancy Goods Store. Address, J. A., Oregonian Office. mh6d3t

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A GOOD COOK. A GERMAN GIRL PREFERred. Apply at the southwest corner Fourth and Oak streets.

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OF LONDON AND [illegible]

CAPITAL.......... [illegible]
Reserve and Surplus Funds [illegible] Jan. 1st, 1876..... [illegible]

Total.... [illegible]
Premium Receipts, 1875 [illegible]
Losses Paid in United States [illegible] 8 years.... [illegible]

EDWARD HALL, [illegible]
Ankeny's [illegible]

OREGON BRA[illegible]

HOME M[illegible]

Fire Insurance [illegible]

Capital, ... [illegible]
Assets, ... [illegible]
Income, 1875, ... [illegible]
Loss's paid since Organizati[illegible]

HAMILTON B[illegible]
MANAGER,
72 First Street, Portla[illegible]

[illegible]N[illegible]

Insurance Co[illegible]

FIRE AND M[illegible]

Capital, (PAID UP IN GOLD COIN) [illegible]

Assets, exceed [illegible]

BRANCH OFFICE [illegible]

First National Bank Buil[illegible]

W. S. CALD[illegible]

THE STA[illegible]

Investment & [illegible]

COMPAN[illegible]

OF SAN FRANC[illegible]

FIRE AND M[illegible]

Incorporated [illegible]

Cash Assets, [illegible]

OFFICE[illegible]

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IMPORTERS [illegible]

Commission Mer[illegible]

AGENTS FOR LL[illegible]

OFFER FOR SALE[illegible]

TENNENT'S ALE, pints and [illegible]
McEWAN'S " " [illegible]
IND COOPE & CO'S ALE, [illegible]
Blood, Wolfe & Co's ALE [illegible] pints and quarts.
Guinness' STOUT, pints.
RED CASE GIN, (Rynbende [illegible]
Hennessy, Martell and [illegible] BRANDIES, in case and [illegible]
Scotch and Irish WHISKI[illegible] bulk.
DRY PRIVATE CUVEE CH[illegible] pints and quarts.
The Finest SHERRIES, in [illegible] ported to this market, all [illegible] prices.
CURRY POWDER and CURRA[illegible]
SAUCES.
SALAD and COD LIVER OIL [illegible]
EPSOM SALTS and CITRATE [illegible] MA.
SAGO and TAPIOCA.
CORN BRUISERS, CHAIN [illegible] HARROWS.
PIANOS.
PAINTS and VARNISHES.
CHLORIDE OF LIME [illegible]
WHEAT & OAT SACKS [illegible]
Seaming and Roping TWIN[illegible]

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN [illegible] this day sold my interest in [illegible] Business, heretofore conducted [illegible] Davidson, to I. G. Davidson. [illegible]
Portland, Feb. 14, 1877.

PHOTOGRAP[illegible]

The undersigned respectfully [illegible] public that we will continue the [illegible] tography, heretofore conducted [illegible] Davidson, at the same place, and [illegible] name of Davidson Brothers.

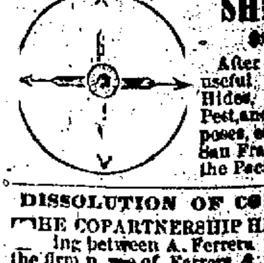
We have engaged the services [illegible] Shuster as operator for a short time, [illegible] fident of pleasing those who [illegible] patronage. I. G. [illegible]
Portland, Feb. 14, 1877. I. S. [illegible]

DISSOLUTION OF COPA[illegible]

THE COPARTNERSHIP HER[illegible] isting under the firm name [illegible] SIMON & CO., is this day dissolved [illegible] sent. J. [illegible]
Portland, Feb. 12, 1877.

COPARTNERSHIP [illegible]

THE UNDERSIGNED HAVE [illegible] ed a copartnership for the pur[illegible] on a general Sash, Door, Blind and [illegible] at 41 Front street, under the firm [illegible] Springer & Co. J. SIMON, JASON SP[illegible]
Portland, Feb. 12, 1877.



CALVERT'S [illegible]

SHEE[illegible]

After dip[illegible] useful for [illegible] Hides, De[illegible] Pest, and for [illegible] poses, etc. [illegible] San Francisco [illegible] the Pacific Co[illegible]

DISSOLUTION OF COPA[illegible]

THE COPARTNERSHIP HERE[illegible] ing between A. Ferrera and [illegible] the firm name of Ferrera & [illegible] solved by mutual consent, L. [illegible] from. All outstanding accounts [illegible] will be collected by A. Ferrera, [illegible] assumed by him.

Portland, Or., March 1, 1877.

NOTICE.

MR. WM. S. SIBSON IS AU[illegible] sign our firm name per pro[illegible] JAMES LA[illegible]
Portland, 25th January, 1877.

The Daily Oregonian.

WEDNESDAY MORNING, MARCH 7, 1877.

CITY.

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W. B. Daniels, John [illegible] F. Gildey, C. S. [illegible]

CHORAL REHEARSAL.—The ladies and gentlemen who are to sing in the chorus at the [illegible] grand concert by Madame [illegible] Urso in aid of the Library Association [illegible] last evening at the [illegible] Musical Society for a [illegible] under the direction of [illegible] our best voices were [illegible] of the evening's [illegible] the voices and [illegible] the result was [illegible] us to hope for [illegible] of really effective choruses. The next rehearsal takes place at the same room on Monday evening next at 8 P.

THE LATE H[illegible].—Yesterday the earthly remains of Henrietta, a daughter of Simon [illegible], were brought and deposited in the Jewish Cemetery. A large throng of [illegible] were seen to follow the funeral [illegible] a testimony of the [illegible] which she was held [illegible] who knew her. The deceased was a most [illegible] of but 16 years [illegible] by the hand of [illegible] May He who inflicts the wound [illegible] send His healing balm to the [illegible] bereaved parents.

WEATHER REPORT.—From the records of the U. S. Signal Station of Observation, Portland, Oregon, March 6, 1877:

	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Observed Barometer...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Bar. for temp. & eleva.	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Thermometer...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Relative Humidity...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wind, direction...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Wind, velocity...	[illegible]	[illegible]	[illegible]
Weather...	Lt. Rain.	Lt. Rain.	Cloudy.
Maximum ther...	[illegible]		
Minimum ther...	[illegible]		

OVERBOARD.—As the *Elder* was just outside the heads off the Golden Gate on her trip [illegible] a seaman belonging to a vessel at [illegible] and who was a passenger on the way [illegible] his trip, fell overboard. The steamer [illegible] immediately [illegible] which picked the man up. Although he [illegible] not swim a stroke, and had [illegible] clothing and a heavy pair of boots on, he [illegible] in keeping afloat [illegible] until the boat reached him.

HELD TO ANSWER.—A man named Thomas [illegible]ward, residing in Marion county, was arrested a few days ago charged with the offense of selling liquor to Indians. Monday Steward was examined before U. S. Commissioner Wil[illegible], who held him to answer the charge in the sum of $300. Defendant failing to furnish bonds was committed to jail to await the action of the grand jury.

AMATEUR MINSTRELS.—A number of young gentlemen are about to organize a minstrel company to include some fifteen members, [illegible] will meet to-night at the Progress Club [illegible] to complete the organization. The object of the gentlemen is to give a performance when they shall have fully perfected themselves, for the benefit of a charitable institution.

TO ORGANIZE.—Monday the following gentlemen went up the Columbia for the purpose of organizing a new chapter Rose Croix, A. F. and A. M., at Walla Walla: Capt. J. S. [illegible], Hon. Elwood Evans, Major J. R. Hayden and H. C. Morrice. The three gentlemen named first came from Olympia. Mr. Morrice is a resident of Portland.

STEAMER.—The steamer *Elder* arrived here yesterday afternoon from San Francisco. She brought 1,300 tons assorted cargo and 250 passengers. The steamer will sail hence next Saturday morning.

PERSONAL.

Wilbur Cornell, an old print is "doing" the Metropolis.

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[illegible]—From the records of the [illegible] Station of Observation, Portland, [illegible] 6, 1877:

	7 A. M.	2 P. M.	9 P. M.
[illegible]	29.710	29.750	30.050
[illegible]	29.721	29.730	30.020
[illegible]	50	51	52
[illegible]	85	86	72
[illegible]	S.	S.	SW.
[illegible]	24	16	4
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BRIEF NOTES.

Jubilees to-night.

The river is quite high.

Taxes due and payable.

Real March weather now.

Common council this evening.

Very large Eastern mail last evening.

The political excitement is over at last.

Foster, the fleet-footed racer is in the city.

New steamer *City of Chester* is due at San Francisco.

Bobby Newcomb is playing "Topsy" in the Eastern cities.

Mr. Dekum is having the stores in his building frescoed.

Funeral of the late Geo. W. Vaughn was largely attended yesterday.

Ex-Senator James K. Kelly has our thanks for Congressional documents.

A. J. Knott and Levi Knott have purchased from Joseph Knott all the right and title to the Stark street ferry, for the sum of $32,000.

Among the list of Vice Presidents of the Republican meeting held Monday evening, the name of Mr. Henry Oxer appears. This was a mistake. It should have been Henry Saxer.

A clerk in a First street store, to a young lady from the country who was bluntly asked for stockings instead of hose: "What number do you wear, Miss?" She looked at him with ineffable scorn, and then replied, "I wear two, sir; do you think I'm a centipede?"

ARE THEY GENUINE?

This has been a question with me in regard to the Jubilee Singers since their first announcement. But their arrival by steamer last evening settles the question. I recognize them. With but two exceptions they are the original troupe that first visited Washington, packing our largest hall to overflowing at each and every concert they could give, and it is my judgment that the music-loving of this city and of every place they may visit on this northwest coast, have a treat in store they but little anticipate. Certainly if the good Queen of England and her Premier, with the Rev. Newman Hall, and a host of others, grow rapturous over their singularly sweet singing, they do not depend upon any recommendation of mine. Still, I cheerfully bear witness to those of our citizens who have never been privileged to hear them, and who may have had doubts as to the genuineness of this band, that they are what they represent themselves to be, with the single exceptions named, and which I am satisfied has greatly improved the quality of their singing.

M. C. WILKINSON.

P. S.—This is written without the solicitation or knowledge of the agent. M. C. W.

THE COURTS.

U. S. DISTRICT COURT—DEADY, J.

TUESDAY, March 6, 1877.

Geo. Woodward, assignee, vs Edwin Russell; judgment for plaintiff for want of answer for $6,000 and costs.

In the matter of Joseph Kellogg, in bankruptcy; order confirming the report of Register and authorizing the assignee to sell the real estate mentioned at private sale.

Court adjourned until to-morrow morning at 10 o'clock A. M.

STATE CIRCUIT COURT—SHATTUCK, J.

DeLashmutt & Oatman vs Thomas Connell et al.; motion to appoint a receiver allowed; bonds in double the amount of the notes.

A. J. Knott vs Jos. and Levi Knott; mandate entered and decree granted.

Emily Heussey vs J. M. Heussey; cause continued for the term.

Samuel Hood vs U. B. Scott; judgment on verdict.

A. Walts vs. Estes & Carter et al; order making other parties defendants.

Grand jury present three true bills of indictment.

AMUSEMENTS.

Something so entirely new in the show line will be presented to-night for the first time in Portland, that it is not to be wondered at people are filled with a strong desire to witness it. A camp meeting down in the Wilderness—*fac simile* of the real thing—and colored folks who have experienced that religious life in truth, as the actors, is an entertainment calculated to excite the greatest interest, and it will not surprise us to find the theater completely filled to-night with people of every class—some from mere idle curiosity and others influenced by a strong religious sense—all anticipating a vast deal of pleasure and profit from the entertainment. Judging from the encomiums bestowed upon the Tennessee Jubilee Singers by both the religious and secular press, we feel warranted in promising all who attend the utmost pleasure.

COMMUNICATION.

PORTLAND, March 2, 1877.

A. H. MORGAN, Esq.—*Dear Sir:* The undersigned citizens and taxpayers of school district No. 1, appreciating the valuable service you have rendered in bringing up the standard of our public schools to their present state of efficiency and usefulness, would be much pleased if you will consent to let your name be used as a candidate for director at the election to take place in April.

S. G. Reed,	A. Waldman,
Ladd & Tilton,	A. Jeck,
Wm. Wadhams,	J. A. McCraken,
L. White,	L. Goldsmith,
S. Blumauer,	L. Brooke,
H. Failing,	L. Fleischner,
L. Holter,	C. A. Dolph,
M. S. Burrell,	L. C. Henrickson.
J. Oppenheimer,	

BUSINESS NOTICES.

Store to let. See ad. of John Wilson.

Blum was busy last night after the arrival of the steamer unpacking and selling. His patrons had been anxiously awaiting his invoice of imported cigars, which accounted for the rush. Persons who desire these goods by the box must call early or blame themselves for getting last choice. Mr. Blum also received many novelties direct from New York, the patent pocket cigar lighter in particular, being a most ingenious invention and invaluable article.

"Hard Trials, Great Tribulations."—Jubilees.

We notice with pleasure that our old friend Adam Staender, proprietor of the Metropolitan Baths and tonsorial establishment, has taken Mr. Isador Gumbert as equal partner in the business. Mr. Gumbert being an old and competent employe of Mr. Staender. We feel confident that such a combination will be well patronized, and cheerfully recommend the public.

"My Lord Says dere's Room Enough."—Jubilees.

The neatest thing out for a schoolboy is "Smith's 'Scholar's Companion;'" price 35 cents. J. K. Gill & Co. sold a gross of them during Christmas week, and have just received another large lot of them.

"Been a Listenin' all de Night Long."—Jubilees.

To be beautiful, graceful, healthful and comfortable, wear Dr. Warner's corset. Third street near Morrison.

For ladies' corsets at low prices go to the Emporium of Fashion.

"My Good Lord's been here."—Jubilees.

Worsted reduced to fifteen cents per ounce at Mrs. Charles Tichnor's.

Largest and most elaborately finished machine in the market; cheapest and best. J. B. Loomis, agent, 123 First street.

"My Lord, what a Mornin'."—Jubilees.

For good kid gauntlets at $1 a pair, go to the Emporium of Fashion.

All depends on Oregon and the lunches served by Barnes at Central Market.

"Dere's Unin in dis Band."—Jubilees.

Masquerade costumes for rent cheap, and all kinds of masks, at Mrs. Charles Tichenor's.

Gold fish—a large supply at S. L. Stone's.

The New White Shuttle Sewing Machine is the result of twenty years' experience in the manufacture of sewing machines.

The Bonanza mine-owners claim new developments, but will not let the public know. The proprietors of Noble Whisky favor a different plan, and having a good thing, don't object to giving it to the public.

NOTES FROM ALBANY.

Our occasional correspondent, writing from the above point under date of March 6th, sends the following:

Rev. Mr. Hunsucker's little child was buried yesterday.

The rains have been very continuous for the past day or two.

The Hon. J. F. Caples, of Portland, is expected to visit our city to-day.

Mr. I. Gaylor has the contract for the carpenter's work on the Baptist church.

Maj. White, formerly of Corvallis, has gone into business on Main street as jeweler.

It is announced that the Rev. Mr. Douglas has withdrawn from the M. E. church.

The ladies of the M. E. church contemplate holding their fair at the opera house very soon.

The Willamette river is higher at this point than at any time before during the fall or winter.

The Republicans will have a grand rally and ratification meeting at the court house this evening.

The ordination of elders and deacons took place on Sabbath evening at the Congregational church.

Mr. Young is expecting to replenish his dry goods store with a large stock of goods at an early day.

Mr. Burkhart, real estate agent, has put up a new building on Main street, which he expects to occupy soon.

The friends of the Baptist church made a financial success of their entertainment at the opera house on last Friday evening.

Messrs. Cheadle and Maine have gone into business near the postoffice, and will keep on hand the new Wier spring bed, which is said to be the best in the county.

Dr. Hinton and family, of Salem, have concluded to become citizens of this place and will move in this week and take quarters near their drug store on Main street.

The Albany Collegiate Institute is in a flourishing condition. Prof. Rowell contemplates substantial improvements, such as the placing a large bell in the cupola, as he has the money on hand in part for the purpose. During the vacation he expects also to raise some $1,000 to supply the school with such apparatus as may be necessary.

ST. PAUL CORRESPONDENCE.

Under date of 5th inst., an occasional correspondent writing from St. Paul, Marion county, sends the following notes of interest:

Mr. A. Coyle, who was badly injured by being thrown from a horse some time ago, is about recovered.

The district school, under the tutorship of Mr. Keiser, is flourishing. I understand there are more pupils this winter than usual. The academy of St. Paul (for girls), is prospering with quite a number of pupils.

The roads are in very good condition; in fact, if they were a little better cared for by the proper authorities, they need never be any worse. However, "what is everybody's business is nobody's," and so it rests.

Last week the grand jury in Salem made it very warm for the whisky-sellers at Champoeg and elsewhere, and several "knights of the pasteboard" were invited to come to judgment from different parts of the county.

Mr. J. D. Kennedy had a leg broken not long since by being crushed between two wagons. He is improving rapidly. Simon Conor had his hand broken by being thrown from a horse about two weeks ago. He is almost well again.

The lyceum established at this place by the young men, for their mutual benefit, is just the thing, and a similar one should be in every neighborhood. I attended one of their meetings and found it to be of much interest. They meet once a week, and ere long they intend to have a "miscellaneous meeting," when they will "spread" themselves.

Mr. John D. Kennedy, lately from Harrisburg, has purchased a farm near St. Paul and has under headway the framework of a magnificent residence, which, when completed, is intended to outvie everything in the house line around it. Mr. James R. Coleman is also erecting a beautiful residence about a mile from the village, and just off toward those beautiful hills, Mr. P. Mullen's new house is standing, just completed.

CANBY ITEMS.

A correspondent writing from Canby under date of March 6th sends the following:

Republicans are jubilant over the result of the settlement of the Presidential muddle.

A large number of persons went from Canby this morning to Aurora, to assist in celebrating Dr. Keil's birthday.

Messrs. Maclan and Brown, of this place, have just finished cutting a large quantity of piling for the R. R. Co.

Mr. J. C. Bradley made a shipment of 60,000 hoops last week. This is the first lot he has sent off this winter, and he will not ship the rest till about the 1st of May. His hoops are sent to San Francisco, where they will be used by the sugar refineries.

Owing to the recent unsettled state of the Presidential question, or the bad condition of the finances, work was for a time discontinued on the drug store in this place. But it has again been resumed, and the "Dr." will soon be able to offer his services to those in need of them.

Your readers will perhaps remember seeing in the OREGONIAN last summer an account of a young man, by the name of Callahan, who was lost while hunting. A brother of his, while hunting a short time ago, came across a shoe, which he knew had been worn by the lost one the day he left home. He immediately returned and made known what he had found. The neighbors turned out, and after a short search the remains were found. It was shown by examination that he had accidentally shot himself, the charge taking effect in his head. Word was immediately sent to a brother-in-law of the deceased, Mr. Maclan, who resides in this place, from whom these particulars are obtained.

"There is a Tree in Paradise."—Jubilees.

Twenty-five dollars saved by buying the New White Sewing Machine. Office with the Florence, 123 First street.

Hayes has been inaugurated and business will brighten up. Try a lunch at Barnes'.

J. K. Gill & Co. have a large shipment of *New Books*, Stationery and Novelties on the incoming steamer—direct from New York.

See the New White Shuttle Machine, the greatest invention of the country. Office, 123 First street.

Afternoon school at Progress Hall for children. All those holding card of invitation to the Soirees will be admitted. Good music.

"Hail, Hail, Hail."—Jubilees.

Fabre can't sing, but he can get up a capital meal at any time.

The steamer *Elder* brought quite an assortment of goods for Beck & Waldman, which the firm will display later in the week. They have a fine stock of goods for men and boys.

Captains and pilots will note the fact that Peter Wilhelm has fitted up two rooms for their especial use at the Fountain, corner Ash and First streets. Number of English papers on file, including the London *Daily Shipping and Mercantile Gazette.*

The ladies who wear Dr. Warner's health corset step along as lightly as gazelles and enjoy perfect freedom in every movement. Third street near Morrison.

Mrs. B. A. Owens, M.D., Office and residence, east side First street, between Yamhill and Taylor. Special attention given to Women and Children complaints. Also gives Medicated Vapor Baths, combined with Electricity, in treating Rheumatism and Chronic Diseases.

The Medical Institute of Dr. W. L. Adams, corner of First and Salmon streets, will be removed to Hood river in a few months. Till then chronic diseases of men and women will be treated in Portland as usual. An accomplished lady assistant to give baths to ladies and assist in their treatment always in the office.

Dr. Halpruner's RHEUMATIC LINIMENT is a sure cure for RHEUMATISM, SORE THROAT, ACHES, PAINS, CHILBLAINS, etc. It can be had at the Doctor's office until he has it ready for the market. The Doctor will send a bottle by express, or a box of his Salve by postoffice. Price, 50 cents each, expressage extra.

REPUBLICAN MEETING AT ASTORIA.

ASTORIA, Or., March 5.

TO THE EDITOR OF THE OREGONIAN:

No more conclusive evidence could be given of the rapidity with which this heretofore quiet and comparatively obscure village is being transformed into a busy, bustling sea port town, than the patriotic and congratulatory demonstrations which have been arranged and successfully carried out by the Hayes and Wheeler Club of Astoria to celebrate the inauguration of the distinguished candidates for whose election they have so faithfully, energetically and, as the event has proved, so successfully labored.

At noon the firing of a salute was commenced on the public plaza, with the intention of firing as many guns as good old Dr. Watts' majority of votes was over Cronin, viz., 1049. As to the carrying out of this part of the programme, so far as the number of salutes fired, this deponent sayeth not, for in the excitement of the occasion every one engaged lost the count and differed as to the number of salutes fired. The firing continued, however, till long after sundown.

In the dusk of the evening the windows of every prominent building and residence in town were brilliantly illuminated, presenting an appearance as bright and beautiful as it was unexpected and unusual. Among the most prominent of the illuminations was the Occident Hotel, the store and residence of ex-Mayor I. W. Case, Warren & McGuire's market, the court house, the Weston Hotel, Holden's auction rooms, the residences of Hon. W. D. Hare, Hon. D. K. Warren, Sheriff Twilight, and a host of others, making the dark nights in our streets appear as light as day.

At 8 o'clock a procession was formed, and, headed by the Astoria Brass Band, paraded the principal streets, halting at length in front of the Occident Hotel. Here the officers of the Hayes and Wheeler Club interviewed the Hon. J. N. Dolph and Judge J. F. Watson, who had just previously arrived on the steamship *Geo. W. Elder*, and prevailed on these gentlemen to proceed to the balcony of the hotel and address the assembled multitude in the street.

W. F. Winton, Esq., of Astoria, made the opening speech, congratulating all American citizens of whatever party that the nation had safely passed through an ordeal so intensely trying, and come out of it with its republican reputation untarnished; and by its peaceable submission to the decision of the legally appointed electoral commission, sustained its character for strict adherence to law and order.

Hon. J. N. Dolph followed Mr. W., excusing himself from making a long speech, not having recovered from severe sea-sickness, and suffering from hoarseness. He, however, managed to handle pretty roughly, Gov. Grover, Cronin, and the rest of that ilk, in connection with the $15,000 spent by Tilden or his friends to steal Oregon's electoral vote.

Judge Watson followed in a calm and masterly speech, saying that he considered it was or should be a matter of congratulation to every citizen, be he Republican or be he Democrat, that his country had so signally escaped from what he considered the greatest peril with which she had ever been menaced since she had an existence. On the Judge retiring, three rousing cheers were given for Hayes and Wheeler, after which the Astoria Glee Club (who during the interval between the speeches had favored the assembled crowd with many patriotic songs) sang an original song composed by an intelligent and patriotic Astoria poetess, called "We've Won the Day!" of which the following is the stirring chorus, sung to the tune of Yankee Doodle:

"Rally round the flag, my boys;
And make the cannons rattle;
The Commission says We've Won the Day,
And Tilden's lost the battle."

A Scio letter to the *Statesman* says a wind storm recently demolished one side of the roof of Mr. A. Gaines' residence, about the time the family were ready to take dinner, fortunately injuring no one, but spoiling the appetites of several for dinner that day. It also blew down a "roof" barn for Mr. P. Brainer, damaging wagons, etc. which were under it for shelter. Considerable fencing was wrecked.

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BOSTON, Feb. 23, 1875.

SUFFOLK, ss. Feb. 23, 1875.

Then personally appeared the said George F. Dinsmore, and made oath that the foregoing statement by him subscribed is true.

Before me, SETH J. THOMAS,
Justice of the Peace.

ADDITIONAL STATEMENT.

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DECISION IN THE U. S. CIRCUIT COURT BY JUDGE DEADY.

U. S. Circuit Court—District of Oregon.

MONDAY, MARCH 5, 1877.

The United States v. Virgil S. Eggleston et al.—Action on Official Bond.

(1) *Transcript from Treasury Books.* The transcript of the books and proceedings of the Treasury Department, provided for in § 886 of the R. S. in relation to the accounts of persons accountable for public money, is *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein, so far as the same are authorized by law.

(2) *Assets applicable to the payment of claims.* Nothing is assets in the hands of an administrator, applicable to the payment of a demand against the estate, within the meaning of § 1,103 of the Or. Civ. Code, but money—something which is a legal tender.

(3) *Same subject.* Semble, that under § 1,140 of the Or. Civ. Code, even money in the hands of an administrator, is not assets *applicable* to the payment of a claim, until its payment has been directed by the County Court.

(4) *Debt due from the administrator.* A debt due an estate from the administrator thereof, and returned on the inventory as solvent, is presumed to have been collected, and is therefore assets in his hands, applicable to the payment of a debt due from the deceased to the United States.

(5) *Priority of the U. S.* The priority given to the United States by § 3466 of the R. S. in the case of insolvent debtors is not a lien upon the property of the insolvents in the hands of the assignee or administrator, but only a right to a priority of payment out of the proceeds of such property after notice of the claim.

(6) *Charges upon estate.* Taxes and funeral charges are not "debts due from the deceased" within the meaning of § 3466 *supra*, but charges imposed thereon by the law of the State, which the administrator is bound to discharge before satisfying any claim of the United States as creditor of the deceased.

(7) *Expenses of last illness.* Expenses of last illness are a "debt due from the deceased," and under § 3466 *supra* a debt due the U. S. is to be preferred to it, but if duly paid by the administrator without notice of the claim of the U. S., the priority of the latter is lost.

(8) *Expenses of administration.* The priority of the U. S. only extends to the net proceeds of the property of the deceased, and therefore the necessary expenses of the administration are first to be paid; but this does not include the costs and expenses of defending an action like this, where the claim was *prima facie* just, and ought to have been allowed.

DEADY, J.

On July 10, 1873, the defendant Eggleston being a paymaster in the army of the United States, gave a bond to the plaintiff with the defendant Robie and the deceased Miller as his sureties therein, in the sum of $40,000, conditioned, among other things that said Eggleston would account for all moneys received by him as such paymaster, and when thereunto required would refund any such moneys remaining in his hands unaccounted for.

On December 15, 1875, upon a statement and adjustment of Eggleston's accounts at the treasury department it was ascertained and certified that there remained in his hands unaccounted for, of the moneys received by him under the bond aforesaid, the sum of $12,413 45.

On October 6, 1875, Miller, one of the sureties aforesaid, died, and on December 7, 1875, the defendant, Nurse, was appointed administrator of his estate, by the county court of Lake county, Oregon; and on February 20, 1876, the demand was duly presented to said Nurse for payment and by him disallowed.

Subsequently this action was brought by the United States upon Eggleston's bond, to recover the sum aforesaid. Neither Eggleston nor Robie have appeared or been served with the summons.

The complaint alleges that Nurse "has in his possession, as such administrator, property belonging to said estate applicable to the payment of the money above mentioned."

Nurse, answering the complaint, admits the execution of the bond, but denies the remaining allegations of the complaint, and particularly that he has in his hands property of said estate applicable to the payment of the plaintiff's demand.

The case was tried by the court without the intervention of a jury.

The transcript from the books and proceedings of the treasury department shows that the defendant Eggleston by his own account current, is in arrear to the amount of $12,319 40, and that in addition to this sum, $94 05 of the credits claimed by him in such account are unlawful or inaccurate, making the whole indebtedness under the bond of $12,413 45.

By § 886 of the R. S. this transcript is made *prima facie* evidence of the facts stated therein, so far as the same are authorized by law. Walton v U. S. 9 Whea., 655; U. S. v Buford 3 Pet. 29; U. S. v Jones 8 Pet. 384; Gratiot v U. S. 15 Pet 369; U. S. v Eckford's Executors, 1 How. 263; Hoyt v U. S. 10 How. 132; Bruce v U. S. 17 How. 438.

Nothing appearing to the contrary of this, the plaintiff is entitled of course to judgment against the defendant Nurse, as administrator of the estate of Miller, for the said sum of $12,413 45, to be satisfied out of the goods of his intestate. But the plaintiff also claims that it appears from the evidence that at the commencement of this action there was $4,350 33 in Nurse's hands as such administrator applicable to the satisfaction of this demand, and therefore there should be judgment against him personally for that amount with interest from the date of the inventory. This conclusion is based upon § 1,103 of the Or. Civ. Code, which provides that the effect of a judgment against an administrator is only to establish the claim, so as to require it to be satisfied in due course of administration, "unless it appear that the complaint alleged assets in his hands applicable to the satisfaction of such claim, and that such allegation was admitted or found to be true, in which case the judgment * * may be enforced against such * * administrator personally."

As to the facts, it appears from the inventory and the testimony of Nurse that at the time of his appointment as administrator, he was indebted to the estate of Miller in the sum of $6,665, less sundry setoffs amounting to $1,759 67, and a claim to recover $800 damages for the failure of title to 20 pack mules which he had purchased from Miller in his lifetime—leaving a balance due said estate of $4,105 33. This debt was returned as solvent by the administrator and so appraised by the appraisers. The whole amount of property on the inventory was appraised at $4,605 33. The other $500 consists of personal property, debts due the estate from third persons and interests in mining claims.

Counsel for the plaintiff maintain that all property upon the inventory is "assets" applicable to the payment of this demand within the meaning of that term as used in § 1,103 *supra*, and therefore insist upon a judgment to that extent against Nurse, to be satisfied *de bonis propriis*.

No authority has been cited by counsel upon this point, and I have not found any directly bearing on it.

My own conclusion is that the personal property or choses in action in the hands of an administrator is not assets applicable to the satisfaction—payment—of a demand against the estate within the meaning of this section; and that nothing is such an asset but money—that which is a legal tender and with which a debt can be discharged.

This cannot be done with property or choses in action. If the administrator neglects to convert the property in his hands into money, so as to be able to satisfy the claims against the estate, he is guilty of negligence, and may be removed, and is also liable upon his bond. But I think it would be impracticable and unsafe in this action to inquire into the probable money value of the property mentioned in the inventory and then charge the administrator personally with that sum, as money in his hands applicable to the payment of this claim. Upon an actual sale of the property, the amount realized might fall far short of this supposed value, to the irremediable loss of the administrator.

Such money assets must also be at the time subject to be *applied* to the payment of the demand in question.

This action was commenced March 24, 1876, —less than six months after the appointment of the defendant, Nurse, as administrator. Now, § 1140 of the Or. Civ. Code provides in effect that the county court, after the filing of the first semi-annual account of the administrator, shall "ascertain and determine if the estate be sufficient to satisfy the claims presented and allowed" by the administrator within the first six months after notice of his appointment, "after paying the funeral charges and expenses of administration," and shall then order and direct payment to be made in full, or *pro rata*, as the case may be.

From this it seems that even *money* in the hands of an administrator is not technically assets applicable to the payment of a claim unless the county court in which the letters were granted has ascertained the fact and made an order to that effect.

This point was not made by counsel and will therefore be considered waived. Yet it is stated to show that if the administrator is not authorized to pay *any* claim against the estate until directed by the county court, as provided in § 1,140 *supra*, then § 1,103 *supra*, ought not to be construed so as to charge him under any circumstances with assets in his hands applicable to the payment of a particular claim until its payment has been authorized and directed by the county.

But waiving the effect of this section (§ 1,140) —had Nurse any money in his hands as administrator at the commencement of this action, *applicable* to the satisfaction of the plaintiff's demand? At the date of the letters he was solvent and owed the estate $4,105 33. This sum it was his duty to collect from himself as debtor of the estate by transferring it to himself as administrator thereof. It is but reasonable to presume that this duty was duly performed and that such sum was then and still is in his hands as administrator.

Was it then applicable to the payment of this claim? By § 3,466 of the R. S. it is provided that whenever the estate of a deceased person in the hands of his administrator "is insufficient to pay all the debts due from the deceased, the debts due the United States shall be first satisfied." The language of this section is absolute. The debts due the United States are to be satisfied to the exclusion of any other debt *due from the deceased*.

The constitutionality of this act and that it gives no lien upon the property of the debtor, but only a priority of payment out of the proceeds of such property upon the debtor's dying insolvent, and therefore does not overreach or affect a bona fide transfer of the same was settled by the Supreme Court in the United States v. Fisher. 2 Cr., 390, 393.

It does not appear that the administrator had any notice of this claim prior to February 20, 1876, when it was presented to him and disallowed. At that time according to the evidence he had paid out for expenses of Miller's last illness, $370; for funeral charges, $45, and for taxes on the estate, $40—in all $455.

In U. S. v. Fisher, supra, (n. p. 390), it was said by C. J. Marshall that the administrator is only liable to the extent of the assets in his hands, after notice of the claim of the United States; and in U. S. v. Clark, 1 Paine, 642, it was held that the administrator is to be considered a trustee and only liable after notice or the knowledge of such circumstances as would put a prudent man upon enquiry.

This being so, it follows that the administrator is not personally liable to the plaintiff under § 3,466 *supra*, for the assets which he had disbursed in good faith before notice of its claim.

The two items of taxes and funeral charges are "not debts due from the deceased," but charges imposed by the law of the State which the administrator is bound to discharge in the performance of his trust before satisfying any claim of the United States, as a creditor of the deceased. The *title* to the property of this estate not being affected by § 4,360 supra, and being therefore in the administrator, it is private property and subject to taxation by the State, and this charge is paramount and prior to any claim which the United States may have against the proceeds as creditor of the deceased.

In U. S. v Hunter, 5 Mas., 230, Mr. Justice Story held that the right of priority of the United States only attaches to what remains of a debt due to an insolvent debtor, or of his estate, after the proper charges and expenses of collecting, or administering it as the case may be, are satisfied. Upon appeal to the Supreme Court the decree in this case was affirmed without this question being mooted. 5 Pet., 173. The expenses of Miller's last illness is a "debt due from the deceased," and therefore the claim of the United States is entitled to a priority of payment. Waiving the question—because not made by counsel—whether this payment is to be considered as made in good faith because made without the order of the County Court, as provided in § 1,140 supra, it was otherwise duly made and without notice of the prior claim of the United States. Deduct then the sum of these payments from the $4,105 33 of assets presumed to be in the defendant's hands, and there is left $3,650 33.

In addition to this, there must be deducted the expenses of administration. These are, so far as appears, the compensation of the administrator and the fees of printers and officers. The administrator's ordinary compensation is "a commission upon the whole estate accounted for by him," § 1146 Or. civ. code. For the purposes of this action, assuming that to be the sum due from the administrator to the deceased, and treating the rest of the estate as merely things in action, this commission amounts to $202 10. Add to this $100 for fees of printers and officers, and the remainder—$3,348 23—is the sum for which the plaintiff is entitled to a personal judgment against the defendant Nurse.

The defendant claimed in his evidence that the expenses of administration would amount to a much larger sum than this. The only item he mentioned was the expense of defending this action. But as this claim ought to have been allowed by him when presented, and this litigation thereby avoided, it is difficult to see on what ground he can be allowed anything on this account. If the estate is to pay the expenses of this litigation, the effect will be that the United States maintains the administrator in his apparently improper resistance to the collection of its lawful claim.

The plaintiff is entitled to judgment against Nurse, *as administrator* for $12,413 45, with interest on the same at the rate of 10 per centum per annum from the adjustment of the accounts—December 15, 1875—until this date, and also against said Nurse *personally* for $3,348 23 of said sum, and the costs and expenses of this action.

Rufus Mallory, U. S. district attorney.

W. F. Thayer and *Richard Williams* for the defendant.

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European Grain Market.

LONDON, March 5.—The *Mark Lane Express* says the winter sown wheat and other cereals continue to present a facility and satisfactory appearance, except in Lincolnshire and a few districts whence reports are somewhat indifferent, the plant in some places having been entirely rotted by long submersion. Little change is noticed in the condition of English wheat or quantity marketed, the bulk of the offerings being still damp and inferior in quality. The damp weather has not continued long enough to induce the farmers to thresh more freely. Dry samples maintained last week's prices in London and country markets, but the sale of inferior parcels has been difficult, values having been irregular, they were scarcely quoted. The imports of foreign wheat into London have been very light, amounting to less than 17,000 quarters, the greater portion of which was from Germany, America being represented by about 30,000 quarters. The diminution of the supply of red spring wheat from America still bears out the leading characteristics of the season namely, that the advance which has taken place in ryes here has failed to induce an increased exportation of red wheat from Atlantic ports. The course of trade has been quiet but steady. Although speculation has been wanting, consumption continues, and prices have been maintained for all descriptions of wheat. This steadiness is noteworthy, as we had not any political uneasiness, and should the continental demand begin, our markets might rapidly present a hardening tendency, especially as the California supply will attain its maximum in the course of the present month and afterwards decline in volume. Even in the absence of continental demand, California arrivals of the present month ought to be easily absorbed, and as the total prospective supplies begin to diminish and make inroads upon the stock it will become more marked, and we shall urgently need increased shipments from America and Russia, particularly as shipments from Austria and Chile seem likely to prove disappointing. The unusual mildness of the winter has been much against the importers of feed, corn, and there is very little change in trade, and the provision crops of Mayence, Africa, and South Russia hang like an incubus over the trade, and the slight improvement from time to time is speedily lost in floating cargoes. Trade has been steady, and late prices occasionally slightly exceed those previously obtained.

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San Francisco Markets.

[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 6.—Wheat—Lower; shippers here offer $2, holders demand $2 05; milling, $2 05@2 12½.

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Shipping Intelligence.

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[BY TELEGRAPH.]

SAN FRANCISCO, March 5.—Arrived—Bk Lizzie Williams, Seattle Sailed—Schr. Courser, Port Townsend; bk. Osymn, Seattle; schr. Norway, Coos Bay.

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Ordinance No. 1953.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING CERTAIN APPROPRIATIONS out of the Fire Department Fund.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The following sums are hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund to the several objects hereinafter named, to be expended under the provisions of Ordinance No. 1431, or in such other manner as the Common Council may by Ordinance direct:

For repairs to hydrants, seventy five dollars.

For repairs to cisterns and cistern tops, five hundred dollars.

For the construction of cisterns and connecting cisterns with water mains, sixteen hundred dollars.

For the payment of the construction of cisterns contracted for prior to the 1st day of January, 1877, sixteen hundred dollars.

For repairs to fire apparatus, furnishing supplies and the incidental expenses of the Fire Department, thirteen hundred dollars.

For repairs to engine houses and other buildings used for fire department purposes, seven hundred dollars.

For payment of hose contracted for and delivered during the year 1876, three thousand dollars.

For repairs, supplies and incidental expenses connected with the fire alarm telegraph, five hundred dollars.

For procuring and placing 1 additional fire alarm box two hundred and fifty dollars.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 21, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Feb. 23, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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Shade Trees.

SEALED PROPOSALS WILL BE RECEIVED at the office of the Auditor and Clerk of the City of Portland, until 3 o'clock M., Wednesday, March 7, 1877, for furnishing and setting out Shade Trees on the Park Blocks lying between Salmon and Hall streets and on the streets adjacent thereto.

Bids must state the price per tree for furnishing and setting out trees of the following kinds: White Elm, Silver-leaved Poplar, Lombardy Poplar, Locust, Linden or Basswood, European Ash, Mountain Ash, Box Elder, Cork Elm, Oregon Maple and Red Maple.

The bidder must state opposite each kind of tree, the number he will be able to furnish; the diameter of stem, and the height of tree. No dwarfed or crooked trees will be accepted. Six hundred trees will be needed.

Bidders must also state the price for furnishing the trees, exclusive of setting out.

Each bid must be accompanied with the bond of two freeholders in the sum of two hundred dollars, to the effect that if the contract be awarded to such bidder he will, upon its being so awarded, enter into contract therefor with good and sufficient sureties for its faithful performance.

The right to reject any and all bids is hereby reserved.

NOAH F. LAMBERT,

S. B. [illegible],

THOS. STEPHENS,

Committee on Streets and Public Property.

Ordinance No. 1924.

AN ORDINANCE TO CHANGE AND ESTABLISH certain grades of C street.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The owners of more than two thirds of the property affected thereby, having petitioned therefor, the grade of C street is hereby changed and established as follows:

At its intersection with North Second street at 21.5 feet above the base of grades.

At its intersection with North Third street at 21.5 feet above the base of grades.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 21, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Feb. 23, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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Ordinance No. 1923.

AN ORDINANCE MAKING AN APPROPRIATION out of the Fire Department Fund for the relief of Engine Co. No. 2.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. It appearing to the Common Council that the heater now in use upon the steam fire engine of Engine Co. No. [illegible] has become so much worn by long and constant usage as to render it inefficient, and that a new heater of the same pattern but of superior construction should be obtained for the use of said Company. The sum of one hundred and twenty-five dollars is hereby appropriated out of the Fire Department Fund to provide for the relief of said Company and to enable them to procure a heater of the desired pattern.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 21, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved Feb. 23, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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Stark Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Stark street from the west line of Fourth street to the west line of Sixth street by Macadamizing the roadway full width, with the necessary grading therefor and by repairing sidewalks and crosswalks or laying new ones where necessary.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Feb. 24, 1877. fe24d10t

Clay Street.

NOTICE is hereby given that the Assessment made by Ordinance No. 1926 for the improvement of Clay street in the manner provided by Ordinance No. 1921, on each of the following described lots of land fronting upon that part of said street lying between the center line of Seventh street and the east line of Eighth street, as well as those liable for a proportionate share of improving the intersections of streets running at right angles therewith is due and payable at the office of the City Treasurer in United States gold and silver coin, and unless paid within fifteen days from the date hereof, the Common Council will order warrants issued for the collection thereof:

Block.	Lot.	Owner.	Assessm't
235,	4, 3,	[illegible] DeVore	$89 97
Park 11,		City of Portland	61 28
226,	8,	[illegible]	1 25
220,	1, 2,	Geo. J. Watts	3 50
			$155 99

By order of the Common Council.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

March 2, 1877. m2d10t

Ordinance No. 1928.

AN ORDINANCE AUTHORIZING THE IMPROVEMENT of public grounds and streets adjacent thereto.

The City of Portland does ordain as follows:

Section 1. The Committee on Streets and Public Property are hereby authorized to advertise for, receive proposals and enter into contract with the lowest bidder or bidders for setting out shade trees on Park Blocks 7, 8, 9, 10, 11, 12, 13, 14, 15 and 16, and on the streets adjacent thereto, or on so much thereof as they may deem expedient.

Section 2. Said Committee are hereby authorized to fix the time of completion of said work or any part thereof, and to make such regulations and agreements relating thereto as the public interests may require.

Passed the Common Council Feb. 28, 1877.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

Approved March 1, 1877.

J. A. CHAPMAN, Mayor.

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Hall Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE COMMON Council of the City of Portland propose to improve Hall street from the center of Front street to the center of Sixth street, by grading to the established grade and by raising and repairing sidewalks and crosswalks, where necessary.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

March 2, 1877. m2d10t

Stark Street.

NOTICE IS HEREBY GIVEN THAT THE Common Council of the City of Portland propose to change and establish the grade of Stark street as follows:

At its intersection with Fifth street from 23.50 feet to 23.75 ft. At its intersection with Sixth street from 24.00 feet to 24.50 feet above the base of grades.

W. S. CALDWELL, Auditor and Clerk.

March 2, 1877. m2d10t

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